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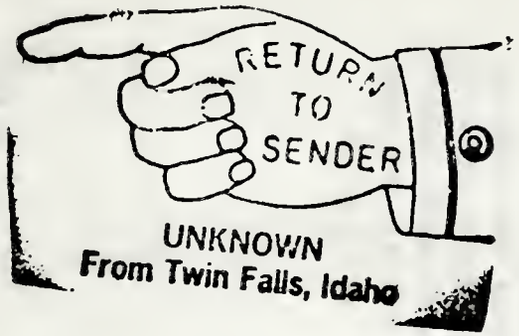

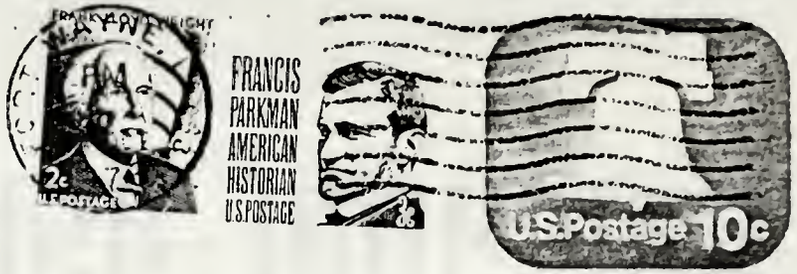

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PREFACE

This book contains a record of the 253 families descended from Andrew Foster Kelso and his wife Susannah E. Hargrave Kelso. It is based upon twenty years of research and correspondence. The following libraries have been consulted: Daughters of American Revolution Library, Washington, D.C.; South Carolina Historical Library, Columbia South Carolina; Spartanburg Public Library, Spartanburg, South Carolina; Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, Indiana; Latter Day Saints Church Genealogical library, Salt Lake City, Utah. In addition Court records in Spartanburg, South Carolina and Jasper, Indiana have been examined. Many descendants and relatives have generously provided personal and family information. All the Pennsylvania material for example, was furnished by Robert F. Kelso Springfield, Ohio. E. Homer Capehart Jr. of Indianapolis, Indiana loaned the photos on page V. The material on the Kelso name was furnished by Florence Kelso McKinney, Earl Park, Indiana.

This first edition is based upon the material available, and I hope that readers who have additional information will send material for use in an expanded second edition. Above all I hope that some day we may know more about the antecedents of Andrew Foster Kelso. The Hargrave family Association has started work on another history of the Hargrave Family and this book will be made available to them.

I am deeply aware of the imperfections of this preliminary volume, and hope that readers will bring to my attention errors of commission and omission. I am particularly grateful to my Mother Edna Grace Corn Arrington and her oldest sister, Myrtle Corn Botkin for constant encouragement.

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THE NAME AND FAMILY OF KELSO

The name of KELSO is believed by some writers to be a variation of Kelsey, which was derived from the residence of its first bearers at a place of that name, in Lincolnshire, England. Others, however, say that it is an early variant of Kelsall and derived from the residence of its first bearers at a place of that name, in Cheshire, England. The latter of these theories is the more generally accepted. The name is found on ancient English and early American records in the various forms of Keleshalle, Keleshall, Keleshelle, Keleshell, Kelesall, Kelesell, Kelsell, Kilsall, Kilshall, Kelsall, Kilshaw, Kilsow, Kelsow, Kilsoe, Kelsoe, Kilsa, Kelsa, Kilso, Kelcho, Kelso, and others, of which the last spelling mentioned is the most frequently used in America today.

Families bearing this name were to be found at early dates in the English Counties of Lincoln, Cambridge, York, Middlesex, Chester, and Lancaster, as well as in the city and vicinity of London; and another branch of the family was early settled in Scotland. These families were, for the most part, of the landed gentry and yeomanry of the British Isles.

Among the earliest records of the possible progenitors of the family in England are those of Reginald de Keleshalle and Roger de Keleshelle, of Cambridgeshire, in 1273; those of Johannes or John Kelesall, of Yorkshire, in 1379; and those of John, James, and Elizabeth Kelsow or Kelsall, of Cheshire, at slightly later dates. These records are, however, only fragmentary.

Of the Scotch branch of the family, one Hugo de Kelso was living at Kelsoland, in Ayrshire, before the year 1296. He was the ancestor of Andrew de Kelcho or Kelso, Prior of the Abbey of Paisley about 1328, and of John de Kelcho or Kelso, of Kelsoland before 1403. The last-mentioned John was the father of, among others, a son named John who married Elizabeth Livingston and was the father or grandfather of Thomas Kelso, who married a Miss Boyle and was the father by her of at least one son, named John. This last John Kelso, of Kelsoland, married a daughter of William Stewart, of Scotland, and had issue by her of a son named Thomas, who was the father of another Thomas, who married a Miss Frazer and was the father by her of Archibald and Giles. Of these, Archibald married Margaret, daughter of James Stewart, of Scotland, and was the father by her of David, William, and Giles, of whom the second is said to have been the father of a son named Robert, who purchased Kelsoland in 1632 and continued the family at that place.

David, eldest son and heir of Archibald and Margaret, married his cousin Elizabeth, daughter of James Stewart, and was the father by her of Archibald and Robert, of whom the first died without male issue, and his brother Robert inherited the estate. This Robert was succeeded in the family estates by the before-mentioned Robert, son of William Kelso, who purchased the estates in 1632. This Robert married Jean, daughter of John Osborn, and was the father of John and William, of

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whom the first married Mary, daughter of the Reverend Archibald Hamilton, and was the father by her of Robert and William. Of the last-mentioned brothers, Robert married the Widow Jane (nee Oakley) Norris in the early eighteenth century and was the father by her of Mary and John, while William married Mary, daughter of John Dunlop, and was the father by her of William, Mary, and Jean.

Another early branch of the family in Scotland was that represented about 1707 by William Kelso, Baillie of Campbeltown, in Kintyre. He married Mary, daughter of Hugh Montgomerie or Montgomery, and was the father by her of William, who married Dorothea, daughter of Patrick Hunter, in 1741 and was the father by her of William, Patrick, and Mary.

While it is not definitely known from which of the several lines of the family in Great Britain the first emigrants of the name to America traced their descent, records indicate that the Kelso family was well represented among the early settlers in the New World.

One of the first of the name in America was Hugh Kelso, who came from Londonderry, Ireland, to Worcester, Mass., in 1718. He was a Wheelwright and an honest and unpretentious man. By his wife Sarah he was the father of Jean, John, Sarah, "Shusanah" or Susannah, and "Marey" or Mary.

One Alexander Kelso (also recorded as "Kelsey") came from Ireland to Londonderry, N.H., before 1720 and was the father by his wife Ann of Margaret, Jonathan (no further record), William, Daniel, and Alexander. He is said to have been accompanied by three brothers, but their names are not given.

William Kelso, son of the immigrant Alexander, removed to New Boston, N.H., about 1763 and married Agnes Kelso (possibly a cousin). Their children were Nancy, Elizabeth, Ann, John and William. Of these, John married Gizzy, daughter of Deacon Robert Patterson, of New Boston, and had issue by her of Robert and others; and William married Susannah Coggin and was the father by her of Susannah, Eliza, Catherine, William, Alfred, and Nancy.

Daniel Kelso, son of the immigrant Alexander, also resided at New Boston, N.H., and married Mary McAllister, by whom he had issue of Alexander, John, Ann, William, Daniel, Robert, Ananias, Elizabeth, Thomas, Mary, David, and Jonathan. Of these, Alexander was a physician; John married Dorcas Cleaves and left issue at New Boston of John, Augusta David, and Adeline; William removed to New York; Daniel settled in Pennsylvania; Robert removed to Indiana; Ananias resided in Vermont for a time but returned to New Boston, where he left a son named Johathan Gove Kelso; Thomas resided in Canterbury, N.H.; and David and Jonathan both remained in New Hampshire.

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Alexander Kelso, son of the immigrant Alexander, married Nancy Guiness, of Amherst, N.H., and had issue by her of Anna, Sally, and Catherine.

One Hugh Kelso (ancestry unknown) settled in Rockbridge Co., Va., before 1760 and was the father there by his wife, Mary Walker, of Joseph, William, James, Charles, and Hugh, as well as possibly of Betsy, Kitty, and Peggy.

Charles Kelso, probably the fefore-mentioned son of the First Hugh of Rockbridge Co. Va., married Mary McPheeters before 1795 and removed to Kentucky, where he left issue of Betsy, William, Rachel, Hugh, James, and Mary.

Dr. Hugh Kelso, probably the youngest son of the first Hugh of Rockbridge, was the father by his wife Jane of Margaret, James, Joseph Moore, Hugh Walker, Mary, Eleanor, John Samuel Brown, Philander D., and Quincy A. Kelso.

The descendants of these and other branches of the family in America have spread to practically every part of the country and have contributed substantially to the rise and development of the nation. The Kelsos have been characterized by love of adventure, generosity, and inquiring spirit, and a high level of intelligence.

Among those of the name who fought in the War of Revolution were Hugh Kelso, of Massachusetts; Alexander, Daniel, Jonathan, and William Kelso of New Hampshire; Archibald, John, Robert, Thomas, William and William Kelso Jr., of Pennsylvania; James Kelso, of Virginia; and numerous others from the various American States of that period.

John, James, Thomas, Archibald, Robert, Alexander, Daniel, David, Jonathan, Hugh, Joseph, and William are some of the Christian names favored by the family for its male progeny.

A few of the many members of the family who have distinguished them selves in America in more recent times are;

Thomas Kelso (1784-1878), of Ireland and Maryland, American Philanthropist and founder of the Kelso orphans' home.

John Russell Kelso (1831-1891), of Ohio and Missouri, soldier and congressman.

James V. Kelso (b.1835), of Indiana, Soldier and lawyer.

Isaac Kelso (early nineteenth century), Editor.

Samuel J. Kelso (early nineteenth century), of Michigan, Author.

James Anderson Kelso (b.1873), of Pennsylvania, editor and Author.

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James Mitchell Kelso (b. 1878), educator and chemist.

Robert Wilson Kelso (b.1880), of New York, author.

Ruth Kelso (b.1885), of Illinois, translator and author.

Leon Kelso (early twentieth century) , of Pennsylvania, naturalist and writer.

One of the most ancient of the several coats of arms used by the British family of Kelso is that described as follows (Burke, General Armory, 1884):

> Arms.--"Sable, a fesse engrailed ermine between three garbs or."
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> Crest. -- "A garb or."
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> Motto. -- "Otium cum dignitate."

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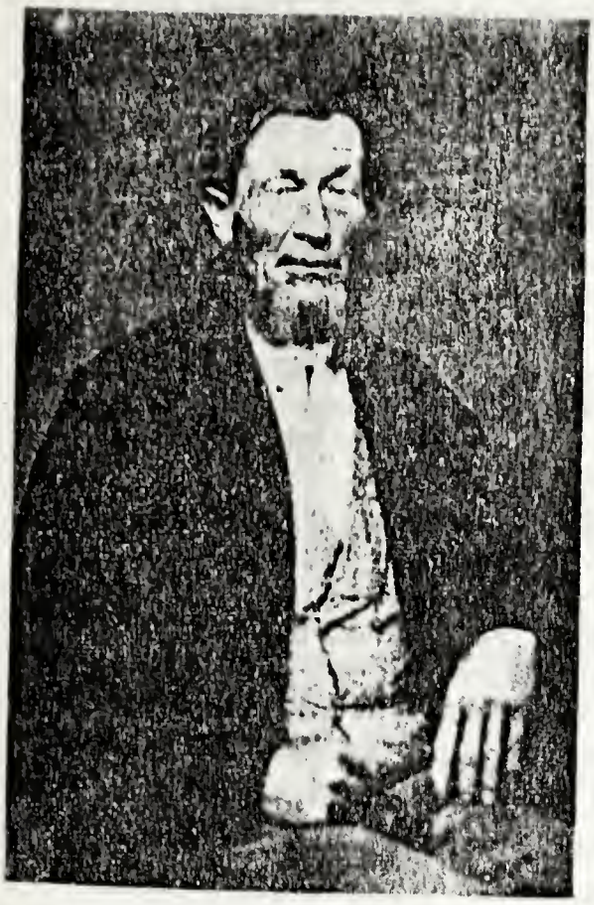

Andrew Foster Kelso
20 July 1807
12 July 1872

Susannah E. Hargrave
10 February 1813
26 August 1889

ANDREW FOSTER KELSO, whose descendants appear hereafter, was born 20, July, 1807 in Spartanburg Co. South Carolina. He came to Dubois Co. Indiana with his parents in 1817.

He married 17, Sept. 1829, Susannah E. Hargrave, born 10, Feb. 1813 in Caswell Co. North Carolina, daughter of William and Sarah (Ellis) Hargrave.

The ancestors of Andrew Foster Kelso appear to go back to Joseph Kelso and wife Margaret, who Egle , Pennsylvania Historian, states were the first of that name to settle on the Susquenna. They settled there prior to 1734. Egle further states that Joseph died at an early date. There were two land warrants in Paxtang Township, Lancaster Co. Penn., prior to 1740. The first was to Joseph Kelso for 264 acres on May 9. 1734 adjoining the lands of John Means and James Mitchel. The Records also show "To Widow Kelso". She was probably the widow of Joseph Kelso on April 28, 1738.

From records available there is strong evidence that the children of Joseph and Margaret were; I John, II William, III Joseph.

I. The account book of John Harris, founder of Harrisburg, shows John Kelso paid for a barn he had built for Harris in 1763. The next presently known reference to John is when he served in Capt. John Nichols Company, against the Cherokee Indians Feb. 2, 1771, in an expedition from Trion Co. N.C. On April 27th, 1773, John Kelso of Rowan Co. N.C. appeared before Matthew Locks, Justice of Rowan Co. N.C. and testified to his signature on a deed to John Simpson of Paxtan twp. Lancaster Co., Penn. The land involved was the same as that sold by Joseph Kelso on April 22, in Trion Co.

John Kelso then went to South Carolina where state records prove that he served during the Revolution. His estate is filed in Abbeville Co. South Carolina when on August 23, 1785 Joseph Kelso, John Foster, and Samuel Kelso went on his estate bond. Inventory was made by Hugh Means and Andrew Mayes, and Aaron Jackson.

II. William Kelso, born 1737, married Jean Simpson, daughter of Thomas and Sarah Simpson on May. 20. 1757 at the Paxtang Presbyterian Church. In 1759 he purchased the west side of the Harris Ferry at Sheriffs sale, and operated the Ferry until his death Nov. 26. 1788. This William was a Lieut. in the Revolution, and had a son William who served in the same Company. It is from William Kelso Jr. who kept a diary of his service in the Revolutionary war we have the following history.

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DIARY, PREVIOUSLY UNPUBLISHED TELLS STORY OF EARLY RIVER TRIP
"The Natchez Times," Feb. 28, 1954

An interesting bit of very early Natchez lore, previously uppublished, has been discovered recently. The story starts nearly 172 years ago, on the morning of May 10, 1782, when General William Irvine, commander of the garrison at Fort Pitt (now Pittsburgh, Penn.) came down to the bank of the river below the fort, accompanied by some of his officers and men to bid farewell to an adventurous part of speculators who were starting out on a dangerous river trip down the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. The voyageers planned to go to "the island of New Orleans" as they termed it.

After the boats had put out from shore General Irvine led his men in giving three cheers and these salutes were recognized from the boats by a musket shot from each of three boats.

This incident, and the dramatic story of the subsequent events that befell the little party in the boats, is recalled by original journal written en-route by one of those who made the trip. This time yellowed record is now in the possession of Robert F. Kelso 1740 Victory Drive Springfield, Ohio, and is still legible despite it's advanced age. Though older than the constitution of the United States, and much less sheltered down through the years, it has weathered time and wear to an extent that is a real tribute to the craftmanship of the paper and ink makers of that day so long ago.

Leader of the boatmen was Captain Michael Simpson, of Harrisburg, Penn. recently discharged veteran, company commander of a company in the First Pennsylvania regiment during the Revolutionary war.

Simpson's war record was not able in that he was among the dedicated few who answered the call for volunteers in the very early days of the war and remained in service throughout. He was one of those who accompanied General Benedict Arnold to Québec in 1775, was one of the remnant that avoided capture, and survived the incredible hardships of the return march through the wilderness.

Historian John Joseph Henry who served under Simpson during the Quebec campaign, paid high tribute to him for courage and qualities of leadership in his book "Arnold's Campaign to Quebec", published about 1800. Simpson was also in battles of Long Island, Princeton, Brandywine, Trenton, Germantown, White Plains, and was with Washington at Valley Forge.

After the war he purchased a ferry not far south of Harrisburg, in York County, Penn., which he operated for many years. It was at his home near this ferry that he entertained President Washington overnight on Oct. 25, 1794, when Washington was returning to Philddelphia from the Whiskey Rebelion.

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With Simpson were his nephews, Nathaniel Simpson and William Kelso, Junior, both veterans of militia service during the Revolution. Kelso, who wrote the journal, was the son of William Kelso, Senior, brother-in-law of Michael Simpson, and ferryman in his own right, having purchased the west side of the Harris Ferry from William Augustus Harris, brother of John Harris, a founder of Harrisburg, in 1759.

This ferry, thereafter known as Kelso Ferry, was operated as a companion service to the John Harris operation. The journey was made in three barge-type boats, all sixty feet long by twelve feet wide. Assisting the Simpsons and Kelsos were a number of hired hands who were not named

The year 1782 was one of serious Indian trouble on the western frontier. It was highlighted by the burning of Hannastown, not far from Fort Pitt, and by the attack on Wheeling by Simon Girty and his Indians. It was during the latter skirmish that Betty Zane distinguished herself by her heroism in making her famous dash between buildings carrying powder and shot in her apron.

During the entire previous year the inhabitants had been subjected to almost constant attack and raids. Many were slain, and those who had escaped had been forced to take refuge frequently within the walls of various strong points.

Of these, Fort Pitt was the hub, an anchor, which kept the white settlements from being swept away. In and around it swirled the eddies and currents of conflict, and from the security of its strong walls sprang the most potent expeditions of retaliation.

Late the previous winter a severe raid had struck the settlements south of the fort. A small force of militia, under the leadership of Colonel David Williamson, was hurriedly assembled and pursued the savages into the wilderness west of the Ohio river as far as the Christian Indian Village of Gnadenhutten.

The village was searched and some plunder found that had been taken from recently murdered white villagers but the Christian Indians of the village claimed that they had purchased the articles from a band of Shawnees that had just passed through, their story was not believed by the angry members of the militia. The famous massacre of 96 christian Indians at Gnadenhutten resulted.

This massacre only served to intensify the attacks on the white settlements. General Irvin came under severe pressure from the embattled pioneers to send forth a strong force to destroy the Indian settlements near present Sandusky, Ohio, from which it was now believed many of the raids were originating.

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Irvine finally decided to send out such a force and chose Colonel William Crawford, boyhood companion and close personal friend of General Washington, to lead the expedition, Crawford who lived along the Yougheny River, was notified and, pausing only long enough to make his will, hastened to Fort Pitt to confer with Irvine.

He arrived at the fort on April 28, 1782 and left on May 1, accompanied by Dr. Knight, a military physician from the fort who was to join the expedition. Subsequently, Crawford and Knight went to Mingo Bottoms (present Mingo Junction, Ohio) where the militia had orders to assemble.

From there the expedition made it's way to north western Ohio where it met with surprise and disaster at the hands of the Indians. Crawford, and others, was tortured and finally burned at the stake. News of his death is known to have caused General Washington great personal grief. Dr. Knight, managed to escape and after ward wrote an account of the battle.

Though Kelso and his companions were surely at the fort during Crawford's visit, no mention is made of it in the journal. It is disappointing that the author did not give thought for those who might read the journal 172 years later, and would appreciate comment on Crawford.

Possibly he considered an Indian expedition as to commonplace. In any event, he begins the journal, by merely stating the bad facts as they occurred that morning, and by noting that their destination was "the island of New Orleans with a cargo of flour."

That matter-of-fact statement prompts the reader to wonder why of all things, the trip was to be made with a cargo of flour. In order to understand it is necessary to consider a bit of the economic and geographie circumstances of this area during the pioneer period.

In 1782 western Pennsylvania was almost completely isolated from the populous markets of the east by many miles of desolate and hostile wilderness, and by high, difficult mountains, over which no adequate transportation existed.

Settlers in this district were mainly farmers tilling small, isolated plots of land they had laboriously cleared from the surrounding forest. Though production was very limited, grain surpluses accumulated which they were not able to consume or ship to favorable markets. Thus grain and flour sold at distressed prices in and around Pittsburgh.

For those willing to take the substantial personal and financial risks involved it was possible to buy grain at Pittsburgh and sell along the lower Mississippi at a profit. Simpson, who had visited Fort Pitt as early as 1769 was well aware of the possibilities.

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Though the journal does not find any detail, it is probable that the Simpson party came overland from Harrisburg in the late winter or early spring. On arrival, it was necessary to build the boats and buy the flour which, certainly, must have kept them busy for a month or two.

Probably Kelso did not think of keeping a journal until almost the moment of departure and, likely, purchased the notebook from the stores at Fort Pitt, which probably had some colonial version of the present army post exchange.

The trip down the Ohio proved to be comparatively uneventful despite the many Indian war parties known to be out. Traveling by daylight they managed to reach Fort Macintosh by nightfall the first day. A sentry at Macintosh hailed them and they ran to shore, showed their passes, and stayed till ten O'Clock before resuming their journey.

It was not till after dark the next evening that they reached, Wheeling (another fort) where they stayed all night. Again the author disappoints his readers for no mention was made of Betty Zane.

Surely she was at the fort on this date and, certainly, she must have been one of the group who always gathered around travelers in those days. Unfortunately, the author could not know that she was to spring into immortal fame only four months later.

The next morning at dawn they left Wheeling, the last fortified place they were to see until they reached the lower Mississippi. Thereafter they evidently traveled as fast through the Indian country as their ungainly craft could carry them.

Each day they started at dawn and poed their boats until exhausted. Some times traveling far into the night. Generally they avoided landing on either bank at night, but chose islands in the middle of the river where they were less subject to surprise attack. Sentries were always posted.

On Monday, May 14, about noon they passed the Muskingum river, which was the first settlement in the Northwest Territory. Five years were yet to elapse before Rufus Putnam, and his settlers, would come down river to this place in the "Adventure Galley" so the author could only note that the Muskingum river emptied into the Ohio at this point.

The following day Kelso noted "We passed the Big Kanawha where Colonel Lewis had his battle with the Indians during the last war" (Point Pleasant, West Virginia) Evidently someone on board was very familiar with the country or they carried fairly adequate maps.

On Saturday, May 18, south of the Scioto river, "about eleven o'clock in the morning," says the author, "we observed two canoes which we took for savages. Quickly we lashed our boats together for defense

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but they ran ashore and abandoned the canoes." Later that day he says, "We killed a bear swimming the river and, about eight o'clock in the evening we passed Licking Creek" At this point the boatmen were at the present site of Cincinnatti, Ohio. A few years later Fort Washington would be built here and, in the fall of 1791, William Kelso's younger brother, Lieutenant Thomas Kelso, would come down river to this very fort with the forces of General Arthur St. Clair.

From here St. Clair would go north to the site of present Fort Recovery, Ohio, near the Indiana Ohio boundry and his forces would be disastrously defeated by the Indians, Young Lieutenant Thomas Kelso lost his life in this battle. (The author used the back part of the journal later as an account book.)

One of the items he recorded, on December 21, 1791 was the purchase of an oil painting of young Thomas. It is possible that the entry was made before the fact of Thomas's death had been confirmed.

Om May 20 the boats reached "the falls of the Ohio" present site of Louisville, Kentucky . Whether any settlers were living at this point at that time is not stated. The journal merely states "We lay at Bear Grass all night."

On May 25, shortly after noting that they had passed the Wabash river the author makes this entry "At three in the evening (3P.M.) we were hailed by some hunters. One came on board and rode with us till four" Possibly no other statement could more exactly express the cool "business as usual" character of both the boatmen and the hunters.

The Mississippi part of the voyage, like that on the Ohio, proved to be quite uneventful. Aside from overturning one of the boats and running aground several times, there was little to record until they arrived at Mt. Pleasant, Mississippi, where Kelso states "In the morning we came to Mt. Pleasant, twelve leagues from Natchez. We landed with a canoe. There were apple and peach trees."

On Friday, June 7, 1782, 29 days after leaving Fort Pitt, the party arrived at Natchez. The journal states, "In the morning, at sunrise, we came to Natchez. Continued at Natchez all day and all night." Comment for June 8th was as follows", In the morning pleasant, Mr. James Trully, a gentleman that lives one league from the river waited on us with horses to go and spend the evening at his house.

We had the pleasure to be introduced to Miss Patsey Trully, Miss Polly Birch, and Miss Toby, Polly and Betty Pain, ladies of the first rate of that place. We spent the evening, breakfasted with them and returned to the river accompanied by Mr. Trully. We did not leave Natchez till that evening and then landed two leagues below the town where we stayed all night.

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On June 10, the following day, the author comments, "At 12 o'clock we passed the cutoff. About five o'clock we decided to float in the night but found this disagreeable and decided to land. Captain Simpson made for shore but his boat and all hands fell into the river. I landed on the main shore about a quarter of a mile below his unfortunate land place and by the assistance of some hands from a boat going to Natchez they got up."

On June 11, Kelso comments "This morning the weather was very pleasant. We continued on our journey until we came to a French settlement (Not named) where I engaged a boat and some hands to go in search of Captain Simpson." (Who was evidently still in trouble). However, Simpson sent word that he was all right and would see the others in the morning. When Simpson arrived they spent the day selling flour and "in the evening we collected some French ladies and made up a merry group to dance".

On June 14, they arrived at Point Quefree Fort where they showed their passes and continued on their journey. That day they floated down river to the plantation of a Frenchman, Mr. Deambyebeu. At this point a Mr. Gillard invited Captain Simpson and Kelso to visit him at his house about two leagues from the Mississippi on Foose River

Gillard provided horses and guided them to his home where they spent the night. After breakfast the following morning Mr. Gillard sent his boy and horses to the river with them and, the following day, called upon them again bringing two bottles of spirits as a present.

On June 19, they came to the fort at Baton Rouge where they again were required to show passes. From there they sent on to a place the author calls Manshac (probably now known as Plaquemine) where they were entertained by a Doctor Flowers at his home.

At this place it was necessary to wait two days to see the governor. On June 21, they were granted an interview. Kelso says "We were received politely by the governor who granted us every satisfaction and liberty as far as his authority would extend."

From Manchac they continued south to Atakapass where they paid and discharged the hands and disposed of the boats. Their efforts, however, to sell the flour was with little result. The journal comments, "The inhabitants bought but slowly and I found myself under necessity of trading our flour for cattle on the hoof. Money was not in the people's hands".

Leaving Atakapass with the cattle Kelso and the Simpsons drove them through low land and bayous and it was not till October that they arrived in New Orleans. Here they had the cattle slaughtered, salted, and placed into casks.

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At this point Kelso discontinues making his entries and does not resume till December 11. Even then, no further mention is made of the salted beef so it is logical to assume that they succeeded in disposing of it in New Orleans. There was undoubtedly much of intrest that could have been said about the colorful city of New Orleans of that date but all this is omitted.

Assuming that the beef had been disposed of there was still the major problem of return to be considered. Only two choices were available. (1) Return overland through hostile and unfamiliar country on foot. (2) Return by sea. Decision was made in favor of the latter for on December 11, Kelso writes, "We sailed for Havana, Cuba on board the brig, "Russia," Elia Boothe, Captain and Mr. Lave, owner. On December 28 not far from Havana, we were overtaken by His Majesty's warship, "Ulysses," Thomas Spry, Captain, and were boarded by Lieutenant Murray, and a contingent of men, who took us prisoners and transferred us to the "Ulysses," which mounted forty guns. The Russia, in charge of a prize crew, was sailed away for Jamaica."

The raiding cruise of the Ulysses continued till January 4, 1783 with the captives still being held prisoner. On that date the Ulysses fell in with two Spanish ships. One of twenty guns and one of the nine guns. Both were captured and the Ulysses, with her Spanish captives headed for Jamaica. Late the same day the convoy fell in with a brig from the Isle of Turks, bound for St. Thomas.

Since the vessel was to be spared capture, Kelso and the two Simpsons applied to Captain Spry for release and transfer to the brig. This was granted and arrangements were made with the brig's master, Captain Barr. to be taken to St. Thomas as passengers. They arrived in St. Thomas on February 10, 1783.

It was not till March 1, 1783 that they were able to arrange for passage back to the United States. On that date they sailed on the schooner "Hope" with Captain Connor as master and Mr. Earl part owner , as supercargo. Eight days out of St. Thomas the "Hope" encountered a violent storm which nearly swamped the vessel. The author wrote, "We threw two sixes (pieces of artilery) overboard and turned the schooner before the wind.

Finally the sconner raised the waves after being foundered for some time. We escaped the gloomy appearance through the mercy of Providence, and at last ran into calmer seas.

On March 15, we first sighted land then, running along the coast and up the "Patomic river, we came to Alexandria on March 22", This entry ended the journal and it is probable that the party made it's way back to Harrisburg as quickly as possible.

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Kelso, it is known, succeeded his father as owner and operator of the Kelso Ferry upon his father's death in 1788. As far as is known no further personal adventures befell him.

However, as late as the year 1796, he did engage in a financial adventure when he and nine other prominent business men of Harrisburg, formed the Harrisburg and Presque Island Land Development Company for the exploitation of real estate in and around present Erie, Penn., which at that time was completely undeveloped.

Two years later William Kelso's younger brother John Kelso, went to Erie as land agent for the company, stayed, and became one of its prominent pioneers. He became, a various times, County Treasurer, Pronothotary, and Associate Judge of the County courts.

Having had previous military experience he was commissioned Brigadier General in the militia of Pennsylvania, a post he held until after the war of 1812. General Kelso maintained headquarters at Erie and, during the period when Commodore Perry was building his little fleet, was in command of the ground forces that protected the ship building operations.

Notations in the back of the journal record visits to John's home at various times by his sister Rebecca, and by a brother Dr. Joseph Kelso, an early physician of Harrisburg.

Robert F. Kelso, present owner of the journal, is descended from John Kelso, Erie pioneer. In 1939 he corresponded with the British Admiralty and found that record still existed of the "Ulysses" and was given the following brief detail of her history.

The "Ulysses" was built in Liverpool, England, and launched on July 14, 1779. She was classified as fifth rate, weighing 887 tons, and mounting 44 guns. On June 5, 1781 she was engaged in indecisive action in the west Indies with the French frigate "Survillante."

At noon on Saturday, December 28, 1782, she was in west Indian waters called "Tortuga Bank" ENE 27 leagues. The Captains's log showed that the day was hazy with fresh breezes blowing. At one p.m. the Ulysses fired two guns and signaled the vessel to "hove to".

This was ignored and at 5 p.m. the Ulysses fired two more shots which brought the vessel to. The captain records that the captured vessel was a brig bound from Havana to New Orleans. Prisoners were removed to the Ulysses and the brig sent on to Jamaica.

Kelso's record in the journal indicated that their capture took place on December 28. However, he was evidently mistaken for the vessel captured on that day was headed in exactly the reverse direction. Actual date of the capture of the brig "Russia" did not take place till December 29. On that date, captain of Ulysses recorded he was on the Tortuga Bank, East 37 degrees. At one p.m. saw sails in the N.E. and

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gave chase at fifteen minutes after three in the afternoon the brig, from the Mississippi to Havana was captured. Prisoners removed to the Ulysses and the brig sent on to Jamaica. This information check with the journal except for the difference of one day's date.

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William Kelso Senior died on Nov. 26, 1788, Michael Simpson was appointed guardian of William's minor children. They were Joseph, Rebecca, and Jean. Jean Simpson Kelso wife of William Kelso died Feb. 20, 1777, she was buried at the Paxtang Church graveyard.

III. Joseph Kelso, son of Joseph and Margaret Kelso, married Jean Foster daughter of John Charles Foster, a neighbor at Paxtang. Joseph and Jean went to South Carolina, where Joseph took out a land grant on Feb. 1, 1768. The land is located in the famous Scotch-Irish District of South Carolina called the "Waxhaw District" and was located on the waters of the Catawba River.

In 1754 Jean Foster Kelso, and Henry Foster, her brother, and Joseph Kelso, her husband, deeded property to Thomas Rutherford. The property involved had been formerly the property of John Foster, dec'd. The land is located in Paxtang, and is the same land on which the Paxtang Presbyterian church stands even today.

Henry Foster then went to South Carolina where he purchased land in 1755. Joseph Kelso and wife Jean, received a land grant of 250 acres in 1765 on the Catawba River.

From this point our history of this Kelso family is rather vague. The following are entries of the Kelso name in South Carolina.

Index to Plats ((Post-Revolutionary)
Kelso, Joseph - 96 District 151- 36-112, 2,Sept.1797
- Spartanburg 350 - 38-112, 11,Jan.1802
- Spartanburg 590- 42-138, 15,Jan.1800

Revolutionary Files in S.C.
John Kelso, Indent, dated 13,Mar.1787, issued to John Kelso for a horse lost in the Expedition to Savannah River under General Williams.

John Kelso, 2949 No. 112. 8,June.1786- John Kelso for militia duty before the fall of Charleston in Brandons Regiment per Andersons return,

John Kelso, 2950, No. 112, 8,June.1786. John Kelso Junior for militia duty, before and since the fall of Charleston in Brandons regiment, per Andersons return.

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Samuel Kelso - 4224-A
29, Dec. 1785, To Samuel Kelso for 26 days duty as Sergt. of Foot in Capt. Robert Farris' Co. 1779, 27 days at Lt. of Horse in Capt. Matthew Patton's Co. Cart. Hugh Means Co. Capt. James Crawford's Co. the Whole in Col. Brandon's Regt.

William Kelso - 4225
8, June. 1786. To William Kelso, for Militia duty, since the fall of Charleston in Brandons Regiment, per Anderson's return.

Some of the abstracted deeds on Kelso name found in Columbia, S.C. Books B to L. to 1809.
D- 462, Deed, James Jackson, Thomas Jackson, Robert White, Samuel Kelso, William and Joanna Kelso, heirs of Samuel Jackson, Sr. Dec'd. 250 acres of land to John Jackson.

E- 150, Deed, Feb. 14. 1797, Joseph Kelso to Samuel Kelso, for 30 pounds part of a tract of land granted George Storey, 1752, situated on the Fairforest Creek.

F- 213, March 29, 1797, William Kelso and Joanna his wife, for 50 pounds 120 acres to Thomas Jackson a part of a tract of land on Cuttabah River granted to Joseph Kelso Sr. in 1767.

K-189, Nov. 8. 1805, Deed, Moses Foster to John Kelso, both of Spartanburg Co. S.C. for $ 45.00 land on Kelso creek and in Fairforrest

L -386, Deed, Samuel Kelso to Thomas Foster, both of Spartanburg, S.C. for $ 150.00 tract of land 100 acres, on waters of Fairforrest Creek. dated 19, Nov. 1808

P - 265, Joseph Kelso, of Spartanburg, for $ 120.00 to Elijah Ballenger 100 acres south side of Fairforrest. dated 1st. Feb. 1817. Renunciation of Dower by Ann Kelso wife of Joseph. 10, May. 1817.

P - 267, Joseph Kelso- Hatter- to James Hutchens, for $ 500.00, 487 acres on Fairforest. dated 1. Feb. 1817.

P - 309, Joseph Kelso for $ 50.00 to William Kelso Jr. - 28 Sept.1816. Wit; William Kelso, Jane F. Kelso, Martha Kelso. Recorded 16,Sept.1817.

P - 310, Daniel Morrow and wife Sally Morrow to William Kelso Jr., all of Spartanburg Dist. for $ 300.00 to William Kelso Sr., all that tract of land conveyed by Robert Davis to William Kelso Sr., and from Kelso to Sally Davis, containing 60 acres, adjoining William Kelso Sr.,'s land, on North Pacolet, 9, Dec. 1812. Witt: Wm. Jackson, John Ridings, Joseph Jackson Jr.

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P - 312, Indenture, 14, Feb. 1797, between Samuel Kelso and Joseph Kelso Sr. of Spartanburg Co. for 30 pounds, a tract of land granted to Samuel Kelso by a patented dated 6, Feb. 1786.

P - 400 John Kelso of Spartanburg Dist. Farmer, for $ 39.00 to administrators of estate of John Foster, deceased, of Spartanburg Dist. 39 acres. dated 29,Sept. 1817.

Q- 71, Thomas Kelso for $ 400.00 to Samuel Kelso, both of Spartanburg Dist. a part of a tract of land the said Thomas Kelso is now living on, on south side of Fairforest creek containing 116 acres originally granted to George Story and from him to Joseph Kelso and willed by Joseph Kelso to Thomas Kelso. 5, May. 1817. Witt: John Kelso, Joseph Kelso. Renunciation of Dower by Jean Kelso, wife of Thomas. 13,Sept.1817.

Thus we deduct from these deeds and others too numerous to print that Joseph Kelso and his wife Jean Foster had these children and probably others:

1. William Kelso, who married Joanna Jackson

2. Samuel Kelso, who married 1st. Martha Jackson and had issue: Joseph, William, Samuel, and John; married 2nd. Lucy Clark and had issue: Mary, born 25,Dec.1800, she married William Bullman; Martha, who married Charles Barnett; Jane, who married Mr. Jackson; and Sarah, who married Mr. Bennett. Samuel Kelso died 21,Dec. 1817 in Spartanburg Co. S.C. his estate papers and power of attorney papers in Dubois Co. Ind. prove his children Joseph, Samuel, and John went to Indiana prior to 1817.

3. Joseph Kelso, records of this Joseph are scarce, but estate records in Indiana and South Carolina prove he had along with others:
    1. Thomas Kelso, who married Jane Foster, daughter of Moses Foster.
    2. John Kelso, whose records to date have eluded me. It is known this John had a son Moses Kelso born 1804 in S.C. who is listed in the 1850 census of Dubois Co. with the following family; Mary born 1825; John W. born 1831; Margaret born 1835; William born 1838; and Greenfield D. born 1847; no further record of this family has been found to date
    3. Probably a son Joseph, who may have been the father of Norman Comstock Kelso, who lived and married in Dubois County, 1st. Louisa Mayo, and 2nd. Elizabeth Alexander. For the family record of Norman C.Kelso,Over

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F O S T E R

The Foster family like the Kelso family lived in Pennsylvania. It was in 1737 John Foster and William Foster warranted land in Paxtang township. John Foster 337 acres, adjoined the land of Anthur Foster Senior, Joseph Kelso and William Armstrong.

John Foster of the Jan. 20, 1737 land grant died in 1752. His estate was appraised by John Foster (undoubtedly a brother) and Thomas Simpson (Father of Jean Simpson Kelso, wife of William Kelso, who established Kelso's Ferry opposite Harrisburg in 1759). Estate proceedings indicate that John Foster had the following children; 1. Henry Foster (oldest child, who was married at the time of his fathers death to Ann Dunlap); Jean Foster Kelso, wife of Joseph Kelso (son of Joseph Kelso who warranted land on May 9. 1734 in Lancaster Co. Penn.); minor children 3. Arthur, and 4 Andrew who the orphans court placed under the guardianship of Thomas Foster; minor children 5, Robert and 6, Moses, whom the court placed under the guardianship of Moses Dickey; Minor child 7. Sarah whom the court placed under the guardianship of William Bell.

According to the book "Alabama, Early Settlers"by Saunders pub. 1890 John Charles Foster of Ayrshire, Scotland, came to America with his family settling in Lancaster Co. Penn. where he died in 1752. After the fathers death most of the family removed to South Carolina.

There are lots of Foster families very early in South Carolina from other sections of the States, but after a careful study we find the will of Andrew Foster Abbeville Courthouse S.C. 1780. From this will we get the names of the following children:

1. Jane
2. daughter, who married Joseph Nesbeth;
3. Moses Foster;
4. John Foster;
5. daughter, who married Isaac Patton;
6. daughter, who married George Storey;
7. daughter, who married William Mclellan.

The will names the wife of Andrew Foster as Margaret.

In Book A. page 43, 1813 in Spartanburg S.C. we find the will of Moses Foster, (grandfather of our Andrew Foster Kelso) he names his wife Elizabeth, and sons John and Andrew. He gives his son-in-law John Kelso five shillings; a grandaughter Elizabeth Foster Kelso, daughter of "my" daughter Margaret, $ 300.00 to care for "my" invalid daughter Catherine. He also gives five shillings to his son-in-law Thomas Kelso; and 5 shillings to Joseph Kelso his son-in-law.

It has long been family tradition that Andrew Foster Kelso's mother was a Foster, finding the Will of Moses Foster above with 3 Kelso sons-in-law. at the time our Andrew Foster was a small boy, would make this a sure thing.

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From The History of Pike and Dubois Counties, pub, 1885 Goodspeed it States the first settler of Hayesville, Dubois Co. Ind. was Joseph Kelso who entered land in 1816. Other Kelso land grants were: Samuel Kelso, 1817, Thomas Kelso, 1817, Moses Kelso, 1818, and William Kelso 1824.

The town of Hayesville was laid out in 1835 by Moses Kelso, who was for many years a leading citizen, and in its commercial prosperity, and for a while probate Judge of the County. About 1840 he had a wool-carding machine, which he kept in operation for nearly a decade.

In the vicinity of Hayesville was an early School. The house was built a short distance east of the present Village, about 1820, and Moses Kelso was for several years the principle Teacher there.

It has been established that Samuel Kelso, born 1809 in South Carolina was a brother of Andrew Foster Kelso. He married Isabel Horton, daughter of Raughley and Margaret (Gray) Horton.

Their Children were:

1. Margaret G. born 1835;
2. Mary A. born 1836, married, 16,Mar.1854 to Adam Miller. He died Dubois Co. 11,Mar.1863.
   They had issue:
   Lewis L. Miller, born 1855, md. Alice N. Faris
   Savina Miller, born 2,June.1862, md. James W. Farris
3. Susannah E. born 1837, married G.W. Stewart (no record)
4. Sally N. born 1839
5. Missouri Jane, born 30, Mar.1841, married, 2,Dec.1860 to Elijah Henry Inman, he was born 2,Dec.1837, and died 17,Feb.1917. Missouri Jane died 15, Dec. 1910.
   They had issue:
   Thomas Inman born, 1863, died 1935, married Margaret J.____
6. Bennett C. Kelso born 15, Oct. 1842, Dubois Co. died 24,Mar.1880. Married 21,Apr.1867 to Mary E. Graham, born 28,June.1847, died 25,Apr.1908.
   They had issue:
   Manora Kelso, born 23,May.1868, died 19,May.1896. married to J. Warren Waggner
   Lizzie Bell Kelso, born _____ Died 30,Aug.1899 married to J.O. Gray.

I would like very much to contact descendants of this Samuel Kelso

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ANDREW FOSTER KELSO

It was in Hayesville we think our Andrew Foster Kelso lived as a child, but as the Court House of Dubois County burned in 1839 no records have been found as yet to give us this information. I strongly suspect his parents died shortly after coming to Indiana and he was raised by relatives, but again no proof has been found.

Our first legal record is the marriage date recorded in Pike Co. 17, Sept.1829 of Andrew Foster Kelso to Susannah E. Hargrave.

In 1830 it is recorded Andrew Foster Kelso built a dam across the Patoka River where he constructed a log grist-mill. His name is listed among the Church records of Shiloh as being a trustee. He was called upon to aid in organizing the Guards in 1861. He was County Commissioner. He was on the Jury which found Jonathan Walker not guilty in charge of killing Henry Hudeman. He was a sucessful farmer. He died 12, July, 1872 at the age of 65.

Children of Andrew Foster and Susannah E. (Hargrave) Kelso, all born in Dubois Co. Indiana, were:

1. William Hargrave Kelso, born 26,Feb.1831,
   married 18,Nov.1852 to Nancy A. Chappell
2. Lemuel Locke Kelso, born 7,July, 1832
   married 1st. 13,Oct.1853, Sarah Turner Chappell
   married 2nd. 27,Aug.1881, Mary Jane Kaughman
3. James Lynn Kelso, born 1834
   married Elizabeth Jane McMurtery
4. Sallie Ellis Kelso, born 13,Aug.1835
   married 19,Nov.1856, Thomas Hill
5. John Foster Kelso, born about 1837 died early childhood
6. Martha Ann Kelso, born 1839, died 1,Jan.1857
7. Elizabeth Jane Kelso, born, 22,Apr.1840
   married, 12,Feb.1861, Charles Preston
8. Benjamin Hall Kelso, born 19, Mar.1842
   married 16, Mar.1865, Mary Ellen Turner
9. Lucy Angeline Kelso born 1843, died early childhood
10. Mary Caroline Kelso, born 11, July, 1845
    married 11, July.1867, Albert H. Stewart
11. Zenas Cicero Kelso, born, 1848
    married 1st. Elvira Case
    married 2nd. 25,Dec.1883, Clara Thomas
12. Melvina Kelso, born, 15,Sept.1849
    married 1868, William S. Bissey
13; Sanford L. Kelso, born 10,Aug.1851; died 2,June.1854
14, a child name unknown.

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WILLIAM HARGRAVE KELSO, born 26, Feb. 1831 in Knoxville, Dubois Co. Ind. was raised on a farm and his educational advantages were quite limited. He remained at home assisting his parents on the farm until his marriage in 1852, at this time his father gave, or sold him land which he lived on for 16 years.

He married 18, Nov. 1852 Nancy A. Chappell, daughter of Josiah and Jemima (Grayson) Chappell, she was born 13, April 1833 in Pike Co. Ind. William H. sold his land in Dubois Co. and bought land in Pike Co., near the Iva community. Here he was instrumental in having the Iva Church built. He was known as the biggest man in Pike Co. He was 6' 7" tall weighed 285 "without an ounce of fat". He was an elder in the Cumberland Presbyterian church for over 29 years.

Nancy (Chappell) Kelso died 24, Feb. 1892. A few years later William H. married a widow, Nancy (Jones) Anderson of Dubois Co. Ind. She died a few years later. William H. died 30, May. 1909, and is burried in the Hargrave cemetery near Otwell, by the side of his first wife.

Children born to William H. and Nancy (Chappell) Kelso were:

1. Leila Kelso, born 1856,
   married James Chew, Leila died at childbirth before 1885.

2. Jemima A. Kelso, born 4, Mar. 1860
   married, 2, Apr. 1882 Elwood Capehart

3. Homer Andrew Kelso, born 5, Sept. 1862
   married 1st. 19, Oct. 1892, Mary Thersa Cowen
   married 2nd. 4, Mar. 1903, Phebe Irwin

4. Susanna S. Kelso, born 15, Dec. 1872
   married 21, Aug. 1890, Alvin Thomas Capehart

Jemima A. Kelso, born, 4, Mar. 1860, died 1. Apr. 1935,
married 2, Apr. 1882
Elwood Capehart, born, 5, Jan. 1854, died 30, Oct. 1938
son of George Capehart and Elizabeth Thomas.
Children of Elwood and Jemima :

1. Beulah Capehart, born 12, Feb. 1883 Pike Co. Ind.
   married Ezra Jackson 6, Mar. 1904. He is the son of William Jackson and Mary Smith, was born 19, Jan. 1879 in Pike Co.

2. Emmett Capehart, born 8, Aug. 1886, Pike Co. Ind.
   married 8, Nov. 1914 Lydia Abbott

3. Vonnie Capehart ; born 2, July. 1889, Pike Co. Ind.
   married, 13, April 1912, Harley Thomas

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Beulah Capehart, born 12, Feb. 1883, Pike Co. Ind.
married, 6, March 1904
Ezra O, Jackson , born 19, Jan. 1879, Pike Co. Ind.
Children of Ezra and Beulah:

1. Berdena Jackson, born, 2, Oct. 1905, Daviess Co. Ind.
   married, 4, Jan. 1947, Clemet Craig

3. Owen Jackson, born 17, Aug. 1911 ,
   married 23, June.1937, Elizabeth Gaines
   Children: Ruth Ann, born 24, Oct. 1940
   Jeanie, born 20, July.1943

2. Jemima Jackson, born 8, Aug. 1908, died 14, Feb. 1908

4. Rosalie Jackson, born 15, May. 1915,
   married, 15, Mar. 1936, Dr. John McGregor
   Children: Michael, born 28, Dec. 1933
   Billy, born 1, Sept. 1953

Emmett Capehart, born, 8, Aug. 1886, Pike Co. Ind.
married; 8, Nov. 1914,
Lydia Abbott, born, 28, Sept. 1893, daughter of Richard Abbott and Lou Synder.
Children of Emmett and Lydia

1. Mina Lou Capehart, born, 19, Mar. 1915.
   married, 1, Nov. 1934, Gordon Hill.
   Children: Carolyn Sue
   Charles
   Richard

2. Elwood Kelso Capehart, born, 22, Feb. 1918
   married, Margie Phillipy
   Children: Linda
   Kay

3. Loca Capehart, born 8, July, 1921, died 1, Jan. 1933

4. Erma June Capehart, born 21, Feb. 1928
   married, 18, Mar. 1949 Charles Burch
   Children: Brian
   Kristi

Vonnie Capehart, born 2, July. 1889
married, 13, Apr. 1912, Harley Thomas, son of George Thomas and Lucy Jackson. born, 21, Oct. 1889.
Children of Vonnie and Harley:

1. Delores Thomas, born 5, Sept. 1912
   married, Clifford Bradfield
   Children: Joan

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2. Martha Jean Thomas, born 31, Jan. 1925.
   married, Donald Davis
   Children: Cynthia
   Stevie
   Gregg

Andrew Homer Kelso, born, 5, Sept. 1862, Pike Co. Ind.
  married 1st. 19, Oct. 1892
Mary Thresa Cowen, born 26, June. 1862, died 12, Oct. 1902
  daughter of Rev. Robert A. Cowen, and Hannah H.
Children of Andrew H. and Mary:

1. Homer Cowen Kelso, born 27, Oct. 1894
   married 1940

2. Corinne Marie Kelso, born 6, Sept. 1896
   married 20, Dec. 1941 Donald K. McCulloch
   Children: Carol, born 29,Nov.1943

3. Esther Isabelle Kelso, born 31, Oct. 1898

Andrew Homer Kelso married 2nd. 4, Mar. 1903
Phebe Irwin, born, 18, Apr. 1875 Philadelphia, Penn.
  daughter of John M. and Elizabeth A. Irwin.
Children of Andrew H. and Phebe:

1. Robert William Kelso, born, 2, July, 1904 Topeka, Kans.
   married, 5, June. 1947, Helen Grace.

2. Walter Irwin Kelso, born 6, May. 1907, Odessa, Mo.
   died 29, Mar. 1912

Andrew Homer Kelso was a Presbiterian Minister and died at La Crescenta, California 23, Mar. 1940.

Susannah S. Kelso, born 15, Dec. 1872 Pike Co. Ind. died, 23,Apr.1921
  married, 21,Aug. 1890
Alvin Thomas Capehart, born 20, Oct. 1866, died, 2, Mar. 1949
  son of George and Elizabeth (Thomas) Capehart.
Children of Alvin and Susannah:

1. Bessie Ann Capehart, born 24, June.1891
   married Byron Haskins, 1, Oct. 1909.

2. Homer Earl Capehart, born 6, June. 1897,
   married, 19, Jan. 1922, Irma Mueller

3. William Paul Capehart, born 3, Sept. 1899
   married, 1920, Lida Richie

4. Ivan Elwood Capehart, born 20, Sept. 1905,
   married, 1929, Ellen Young Clark

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Bessie Ann Capehart, born 24, June.1891, in Pike Co. Ind.
married, 1, Oct. 1909
Byron Haskins, born 21, Aug. 1891, Dubois Co. Ind.
son of Ellsworth and Margaret Isabel(Wiseman)Haskins
Children of Byron and Bessie Capehart:

1. Harry Alvin Haskins, born 12, May. 1910, Dubois Co. Ind.
   married Frances Kooperschmidt, she was born 5, Sept.1916.
   Children: James Allan Haskins, born, 2, Jan. 1946 in Pike Co.

2. Robert Ellsworth Haskins, born, 7, Mar. 1913, Pike Co. Ind.
   married; Imogene Moore, she was born, 15,June.1921
   Children; Donna Jane Haskins, born 30, Oct. 1945, Washington,Ind.
   Judy Ann Haskins, born 26, Mar. 1947, Washington,Ind.
   Robert Eugene Haskins, born 24,Jan.1952, " Ind.

3. Byron Cameron Haskins, born 7, Mar.1916, Washington, Ind.
   married; Julia Isabel White, later divorsed.
   Children: Byron Cameron Haskins Jr. born, 26,Oct.1943.

4. Ivan Ray Haskins, born 6,July.1919, Pike Co. Ind.
   married; Velma Beck, she was born 7,Aug.1923
   Children; Michael Ray Haskins, born 20,Aug.1946, Washington,Ind.
   Marilyn Sue Haskins, born, 25,Oct.1948, " Ind.

5. William Homer Haskins, born, 1. Aug. 1923, Pike Co. Ind.
   married; Marie Kinniman, she was born; 31,Aug.1927
   Children: David K. Haskins, born 20, July.1953,
   Cynthia Haskins, born 14, Nov.1954

6. Joseph Lee Haskins, born 6, Sept. 1926, Pike Co. Ind.
   married; Betty Bateman, she was born, 24,Oct. 1928
   Children: Cheryl Jo Haskins, born, 23, Nov.1945, Washington,Ind.
   Nancy Jean Haskins, born, 7,Dec.1946, " Ind.
   Stephen Lee Haskins, born, 28,Jan.1949, " Ind.
   Marc Allan Haskins, born, 7,Nov.1950 " Ind.

7. Jack Barnett Haskins, born 26,Jan.1929,

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Homer Earl Capehart; A Senator from Indiana; born in Algiers, Pike Co. Ind. 6,June.1897; Attended the public schools; was graduated from high School at Polo, Ill; in 1916 Interested in agricultural pursuits since 1916; during the first World War enlisted as a private in the United States Army; promoted to sergeant and served in the Twelfth Infantry 1917-1919; engaged in the radio, Phonograph, and television manufacturing business; elected as a Republican to the United States Senate in 1944 for the term ending Jan. 3, 1951. (page 946 Biographical Directory of American Congress.)

married 19, Jan. 1922

Irma Viola Mueller, born 4, Jan. 1897, Wrightstown, Wisc. daughter of Charles and Louise(Dollzer) Mueller.

Children of Homer Earl and Irma Capehart

1. Homer Earl Capehart Jr. born 29, Oct. 1922, Green Bay, Wisc
   married; 17,June.1950, Harriet Jane Holmes, born 29,Sept.1919 daughter of Walter Creager and Mary Gladys (Copeland) Holmes.
   Children: Craig Earl Capehart, born 13,Oct.1951.
   Caroline Mary Capehart, born 18,Jan.1954.

2. Thomas Charles Capehart, born 21,Jan.1924, Kansas City, Mo.
   married; 24,June.1948, Nancy Sohn, born, 17,Jan.1922.
   Children: Thomas Charles Capehart Jr., born 14, Feb.1951
   Lucy Capehart born, 22,May.1952
   Mary Ann Capehart, born, 28, June.1955.

3. Patricia Louise Capehart, born, 18, Apr. 1929, Huntington, Ind.
   married; 18, June.1953, James C. Pearson Jr. who was born, 9,Aug.1930, son of James C. Pearson
   Children: James C. Pearson III, born, 30, Dec.1953,
   Homer Vance Pearson, born, 6, Mar.1955

William Paul Capehart, born 3, Sept. 1899, Pike Co. Ind.
married 1920
Lida Richie.

Children of William and Lida Capehart

1. William Harold born Sept. 1921,
   married Joy_____
   Children; Babeth Capehart, born 1950

2. Robert Capehart, born May. 1923

Ivan Elwood Capehart, born 20, Sept. 1905, Pike Co. Ind.
married; 1929
Ellen Young Clark.

Children of Ivan Elwood and Ellen Capehart

1. Phyllis Ann Capehart, born Oct. 1931,
   married; Jan. 1953 Warren Bellar
   Children; Cynthia Bellar, born 1953
   Karen Sue Bellar, born Jan. 1956.

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LEMUEL LOCK KELSO, 2nd son of Andrew Foster Kelso and Susannah Hargrave was born at Knoxville, Dubois Co. Indiana 7, July, 1832. Little is known about the early life of this man or his family life as a child.

13, Oct. 1853, in Dubois Co. He was married to Sarah Turner Chappell, daughter of Josiah Chappell and Jemima Grayson. She was born 24, July, 1835 in Pike Co. Indiana.

On 7, August 1853 a deed is entered in Book 6, p 330. Dubois Co. by Andrew F. Kelso to Lemuel Lock Kelso. I have been unable to date to learn whether Lemuel purchased this land of his father or if it was a gift.

During the Civil War Lemuel Lock volunteered and became a member of Company F. 10th Indiana Cavalry. Serving as 1st duty Sergeant until near the close of the War when as a result of his exceptional valor and excellent soldiership; he was Commissioned as Second Lieutenant. He fought at Decatur, Alabama, at Ft. Blakey, Mobile, Ala. and in a number of scrimishes. His war record was spoken of in most laudible terms by all who were with him on the field and knew of his exceptional heroic behavior in action.

After the War he gradually increased the size of his farm until he owned four hundred and forty acres of fine land in Boone township, Dubois Co. Here he lived until 1902 when he moved to a farm in Pike County a mile west of Otwell.

Mr. Kelso for many years was quite influential in the affairs of Dubois County. He was known especially for his absolute honesty and frankness. These traits made him a favorite of many. He gave diligent attention to the progress of his children and set before them a splendid example of good citizenship in his life.

His wife Sarah died 19, Sept. 1878. On 27, Aug. 1881, Lemuel L. married 2nd. Mary Jane Kaughman (Coffman), born, 4, Nov. 1855 in Columbus, Ohio.

In 1907 Mr. Kelso retired due to failure of eyesight. His later years were spent reminissing over his war experiences with his family.

He died 19, April 1919. Funeral services for him were conducted at the Lemmon Church in Pike Co., by his nephew Rev. Homer Kelso. He is burried by the side of his 1st wife in the Lemmon Church Cemetery.

Children of Lemuel Lock Kelso and Sarah Turner Chappell were:

1. Oscar Lynn Kelso , born, 10, Oct. 1854.
   married 12,Aug. 1885 to Carrie Bollenbacher
2. Florence Elizabeth Kelso, born 24, July, 1856.
   married, Oct. 1879 to James Corn.
3. Erasmus Lee Kelso , born, 23, Mar. 1858
   married, to Gay Underwood

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4. Lincoln Phelps Kelso , born 25,Oct. 1859
   married, 6, Nov. 1883, Sarah Dillon Glezen
5. Susanna Bathsheba Kelso , born, 11,Feb. 1861
   married, 1, Mar. 1883, to Joseph Hugh Barr
6. Benjamin Hall Kelso, born 11,July, 1863.
   married, Ida Flint.
7. Jemima Alice Kelso, born, 8, Nov. 1864
   died 22, July. 1867.
8. Ulysses Grant Kelso, born, 20, July. 1866,
   married, Bernadine (Dena)Schroering
9. Edith Kelso, born, 30, July, 1871.
   married, 22, Mar. 1892, to John A. Gude
10. Effa (Effie) Kelso, born, 5, Sept. 1873
   married, to John William Boyd

Children of Lemuel Lock Kelso and Mary Jane Kaughman (Coffman) were:

1. Zenas Cicero Kelso, born 9, June. 1882,
   married, 10, Aug. 1902, Nancy LuVerda Brown
2. Isaac Howard Kelso, born, 5, July. 1884
   married, to Maud Sullivan
3. Harry Allen Kelso, born, 4, Feb. 1887,
   married, to Dove Haskins
4. and 5, Twins, born, 11, Oct. 1888, died 11, Oct. 1888
6. Clara Anetta Kelso, born, 5, Feb. 1890.
   died 20, May. 1890.

Oscar Lynn Kelso , born, 10,Oct. 1854, died, 13,July.1930
   married: 12,Aug.1885, Bloomington, Ind.
Carolyne E. Bollenbacher , born, 6,Jan.1860, Bloomington, Ind.
   daughter of George Bollenbacher, and Margaret Shawver.
   She died, 21, Aug. 1956. at Excelsior Springs, Mo.
Oscar Lynn, became an earnest student in early youth. He graduated from the University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill, with a Ph B .
He taught in the high schools of Bruceville, Anderson and Richmond, Ind. He then became an instructor in the State Normal School at Terre Haute. He was soon at the head of the mathematics department, which position he held until he retired in 1925 as a result of impaired health. He had been at the head of the department for thirty years. He was the author of a number of text books on mathematics and was active in business circles. He did much to further the cause of education in the state of Indiana. He died July 13, 1930, at Terre Haute, Ind.

Children of Oscar Lynn Kelso and Carrie E. Bollenbacher were:

1. Winifred Margaret Kelso, born, 9, May. 1886, Richmond, Ind.
   married, 20, Sept. 1910, to John Heath Hewitt, M.D.
2. Byron Lynn Kelso, born, 23, June. 1888, Richmond, Ind.
   married. 1st. Oct. 1920, to Margaret Nesbit
   2nd. to Caroline Stein.

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Winifred Margaret Kelso, born 9, May. 1886.
Married 20, Sept. 1910. at TerreHaute, Ind.
John Heath Hewitt M.D. , born, 13, Mar. 1883, New York, N.Y.
son of John Heath Hewitt and Alice Waring.

Children of John and Winifred Hewitt:
1. John Heath Hewitt III.
born, 4, Dec. 1912, died 4, Dec. 1912
2. Carolyn Alice Hewitt, born, 27, Nov. 1917,
married June. 1938 to Casey W. Kunkel
He was born 21, Mar. 1915 at Ft.Griffin, Texas
He died 24, Mar. 1944, at Rochester, Minn.
No children were born to this union.

Byron Lynn Kelso, born 23, June. 1888, Richmond, Ind.
Married 1st. Margaret Nesbit, later divorced.
Married 2nd. Caroline Stein
Byron Lynn died 5, Jan. 1949

Children of Bryon and Margaret Kelso:
1. Lynn Nesbit Kelso, born, 10, Sept. 1921,
Married, 1943
Mary Van Arsdall, born, 15, Oct. 1922, Terre Haute, Ind.
dau. of Frank VanArsdall and Adelaide Burman
Children of Lynn and Mary Kelso:
1. Mary Lynn Kelso, born, 13, Mar. 1945, Terre Haute,
2. Cassandra Van Kelso, born 19, Apr. 1947
at Honolulu T.H.
3. Christopher Stephen Kelso, born 11, Oct. 1952
at Oceanside, Calif.
4. Katherine Lisa Kelso, born 24, Dec. 1955
at Cherry Point, N.C.

Florence Elizabeth Kelso, born, 24, July. 1856, Ireland, Dubois, Ind.
Married, Oct. 1879, Dubois Co. Ind.
James Corn, born, 24, May. 1853, Ireland, Dubois, Ind.
son of Jesse Mosby Corn and Margery Harris.

MY PARENTS- by Sarah Myrtle Corn Botkins.
Florence Elizabeth Corn was the daughter of Lemuel and Sarah Turner Kelso who lived on a farm near Ireland. Her entire life with the exception of four years in Jasper, were spent on the farm.

She went to school in a log school house, with logs for benches. Her teachers were usually older men who were not physically fit for other work. Her social life consisted of singing schools, writing schools, and debates.

The family went thru many hardships especially when her father was serving in the Civil War. One year they had a good corn crop but hundreds of hungry squirrels descended upon the corn and ate it up, leaving them without anything.

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They had very little money and sugar, but our grandmother would bake cup cakes with sugar, put some silver in the cup cake and send to grandfather in the cavalry. How the children stood around wanting a cake so badly but did not as their father was so hungry for cake and the food was not good in the army. The mother and her little family were so afraid as every now and then would come the rumor that Morgan with his terrible raiders had crossed the Chio river and was coming their way. She spent her early childhood helping her parents on the farm. In 1879 she married James Corn, to this union eight children were born. She was always interested in her children and their welfare, especially in their school work. She always sent her children to Sunday school and church. She never belonged to any social clubs or lodges, she devoted all her time to her home and children. She loved good books and read a great many. She also loved flowers and always had a yard full of beautiful flowers where ever she lived. Her hobby was gardening and raising flowers. She kept this up as long as she lived. She believed in strict discipline for the children and many a time we were across her lap and she was spanking us with that good strong left hand of hers.

She was a good neighbor, always ready to help the sick or any one in need.

My Father James Corn was born near Ireland, Ind. 24, May. 1853 on the farm his father had homesteaded before Indiana became a State. His father died when he was nine years and his mother and two sisters who were home raised him, Mrs. Cyntha Ann Armes and Mrs. Zerilda Thompson.

He was not very strong when growing up and evidently had been papmered a great deal by the three women who raised him. He attended the school that was in the community. Their only social life was the neighborhood parties, debate societies and writing schools. He rode horse back to see his girl friends which he seems to have had many.

Before he was married he had a saw mill on the farm which he had inherited from his father and had the lumber sawed for the house which he built for his bride. He owned two hundred acres of land. The house was in a wonderful location, to the north was one hundred acres of forest. The forest was covered with large oak, maple, beech, walnut, elm, and poplar. In the spring we children spent our extra time in the woods hunting wild flowers which were very lovely Dogwood, redbud, mayapple, wild crab, wild plum grew in abundance.

For our spring tonic we went to the woods and dug red and white sassaphras roots from which we made tea. We always preferred the red it was so much nicer to took at.

Our family lived on this farm until 1890 when my father became postmaster at Jasper, Ind. His mother and sister Zerilda lived with him and his sister was the assistant postmistress. This was a happy period for the children as we had lots of playmates and good schools . We were always sent to Sunday school to the Methodist Church. After the four years term as Post master we moved back to the farm settled down to the same old routine. This was a good farm and we raised almost everything we

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had to eat. I remember as a child a wild turkey coming into our yard and my father stepped to the front door and shot it.

My father had hard luck as he went his brothers notes and lost all the land that he inherited. So he thought a new country was the right place to go build again. We sold our belongings and moved to Oklahoma in 1900. We first moved to Hennessee as old pal Lyman Hobbs lived here.

A year later we moved to Faxon in the new country that had been opened to settlement. The family went thru many hardships here as this was a different country from Indiana. We were truly pioneers helped build school houses, churches and every thing that goes into a community.

My father was a charter member of Odd Fellow lodge at Ireland, Ind. He was also a member of the workmen a loage which went broke.

He farmed for several years then moved to Faxon and remained there. the rest of his life. After his wife died 27, Dec. 1921, he lived with his daughter Mrs. Willis E. Botkins until his death 5, April, 1925.

Children of James and Florence Elizabeth Kelso Corn:

1. Sarah Myrtle Corn, born, 21, Oct. 1880, Ireland, Dubois, Ind.
   married, 16, May. 1909, to Willis E. Botkin.
2. Lawrence Mosby Corn, born, 18, Aug. 1882, Ireland, Dubois, Ind.
   married, 1910 to Virginia Laurine Arnett.
3. Lemuel Lock Corn, born, 7, Feb. 1884, Ireland, Dubois, Ind.
4. John W. Corn, born, 27, Mar. 1885, Ireland, Ind.
   died, 23, Dec. 1922, Faxon, Okla.
5. Maud Margery Corn, born, 10, April 1887, Ireland, Ind.
   married, 1908 to Henry Parker
6. Everett Clyde Corn, born, 19, July, 1889, Jasper, Ind.
   married, 10, June. 1925, to Anna Marie Karr
7. Elfa Beatrice Corn, born, 19, June. 1891, Jasper, Ind.
   married, 18, Dec. 1915, to Victor Lawson
8. Edna Grace Corn, born, 26, Nov. 1894, Ireland, Ind.
   married, 1, June. 1913 to Noah Wesley Arrington.
9. Infant born, 1900 at Hennessee, Okla. died same day.

Sarah Myrtle Corn, born 21, Oct. 1880,
married, 16, May. 1909,
Willis E. Botkin, born, 13, Aug. 1882, at Wellington, Kans.
he died 10, May. 1929, at Faxon, Okla.
He was the son of Amos Botkin and Josephine Cross.
Children of Willis E. and Sarah Botkin.

1. Florence Mildred Botkin, born 11, May. 1910, Faxon, Okla.
2. Richard Byron Botkin, born, 5, Oct. 1911, Faxon, Okla.
   married. 1942 to Lillian Amiel. born, 6, Dec. 1918.
   daughter of Simon Ameil and Flora Cordeiro
   Children of Richard Byron and Lillian Botkin.

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EVERETT CLYDE CORN

Born at Jasper, Indiana, July 19, 1889, schooling commenced in Indiana Moved with parents to Hennessee, Okla. 1900. Later moved to Comanche Co. Okla. It was while in Hennessee, Okla. that his teachers encouraged his talents for drawing and art work.

When 17 years of age he went to California and joined the Army. He was located at Presidio, California for a number of years where he was interested in Athletics, Baseball etc in the Army teams. Then he was sent to Hawaiin Islands where he continued his interest in Athletics in the Army.

He was advanced to rank of Sergeant. He made the Army his career and was retired May 1937. He was athletic Commissioner in the Islands and brought different teams over to the mainland to participate in contests and events.

He was married to Ann Marie Karrar, in Honolulu, She being a school teacher over in Honolulu.

After his retirement from the Army he and wife moved to San Francisco where he is living at present . They have traveled extensively abroad and in the United States. They have no children.

1. Simone Willa Botkin, born, 21,Dec.1943, Honolulu, H.I.
2. Ricirda Lynn Botkin, born, 14,Dec.1945, Honolulu, H.I.
3. Richard Sinion Botkin, born, 30,Apr.1956, Honolulu, H.I.

3. Lois Ruth Botkin, born, 11. Feb. 1914, Faxon, Okla.

Lawrence Mosby Corn, born, 18, Aug. 1882, Ireland, Ind.
married, 1910 to Virginia Laurine Arnett, born, 15, Feb. 1891
daughter of Loten Arnett.

Children of Lawrence and Virginia Corn:

1. Elinor Kathaleen Corn, born, 11, Mar. 1912, Ontario, Calif.
married, 28,Sept.1946 to William Lee Wilding,
Children: 1. Frederick William Wilding III,
born, 30,Aug.1947, Upland, Calif.
2. Byron Lawrence Wilding,
born, 20,Oct.1948, Upland, Calif.
3. Chrislee Wilding,
born, 7, May. 1955, Upland, Calif.

2. James Loten Corn, born 31,Mar.1914, Ontario, Calif.
married 24, Sept.1938, to Rosella Marie Beck.
Children: 1. Valerie Virginia Corn,
born, 14, Apr. 1939, Ontario
2. James Robert Corn,
born, 1,Aug.1940, Ontario, Calif.
3. Rae Lynn Corn,
born, 2, Jan. 1945, Upland, Calif.

Maud Margery Corn, born 10, Apr. 1887, Ireland, Ind.
married, 1908
Henry Parker, born, 13, Nov. 1875 at Centerpoint, Ark.
He died, 26, Mar. 1926 at Phoenix, Ariz.

Children of Henry and Maud Margery Parker:
1. Eugene Robert Parker, born, 10,Jan.1911, Lawton, Okla.
married, Beulah V. Stone,
Children: 1. Robert Jedd Parker
born, 11, July.1940, Albuquerque, N.M.
2. Diana Sue Parker,
born, 2,Aug.1943, El Paso, Texas
3. Nancy Lucile Parker,
born, 7,Apr.1945. El Paso, Texas.
2. Beulah Elizabeth Parker, born, 16,Oct.1913, Lawton, Okla.
married, 11,Sept.1949
George Ricci, born 25,Nov.1903. Stockton, Calif.
3. Floyd Malcolm Parker, born 5, Sept. 1916, Lawton, Okla
married, 15,Jan.1939, Mary Frances Jones , dau. of
William Harrison Jones, and Mable Frances Parker,
Children: 1. Nancy Naomi Parker,
born, 2,Sept.Phoenix, Ariz.
2. Ruthanne Parker,
born, 26,Dec.1954, Phoenix, Ariz.

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LAWRENCE MOSBY CORN

by Virginia L. (Arnett) Corn.

This is a short history of the life of my husband, Lawrence Mosby Corn, as I knew him for nearly forty years of marriage to him.

So I begin this by giving his name thusly. Lawrence Mosby Corn, was born on a farm near Jasper, Dubois Co. Ind. August 18, 1882, to James Corn and Florence Elizabeth Kelso Corn, the eldest son in a family of eight, four sons, and four daughters.

Lawrence was the second child in this family not only were his parents pioneers of that state, His two great-grandfathers, Jesse Corn, and Andrew Foster Kelso were the very earliest settlers, as well as his two grandfathers, Jesse Mosby Corn and Lemuel Locke Kelso.

This pioneer spirit prevailed in much of his life too. He lived in and near Jasper until a little over eighteen years of age. Working on the farm, and in the swamps of Indiana.

The Corn family decided to pioneer in a newer country, and moved to Hennessee, Oklahoma where he worked a short time on the cattle ranch of an old friend of the family Lyman Hobbs.

When the newly opened counties for settlement, Commanche, Kiowa and Caddo, were ready. This family again moved to the frontier, and were one of the first to settle in the town of Old Faxon, Oklahoma, (which was later moved to a new site).

Lawrence with his two brothers Lem and John and sister Myrtle all found work to help out the income for so large a family. Lawrence helped to lay many a mile rails for the Rock Island and Frisco railroads, bringing civilization closer for many in that new country. When he reached the age of twenty-one he decided to serve his country. And it was on Nov. 30, 1903 he enlisted at Oklahoma City, in the United States Army, and was sent immediately to the Presidio, San Francisco, California and there served three years in the 29th Company of the Coast Artillery United States Army.

In April 1906 the great earth quake and fire hit the city of San Francisco and surrounding vicinity, causing much loss of life property, and goods, with one officer and five other men of the Army Lawrence volunteered to enter the fire district and help escort the people to safety. It was possible to move thousands to the Golden Gate Temporary home for many. Often during this emergency, he was called on to go alone to recruit men, transportation and supplies, and deliver them to this refugee camp.

Many humorous stories he recalled of those days, as well as sad ones. He often laughed about the injuries he received in the quake and once at target practice. It seems the other soldiers accused him of jumping higher, and throwing his blankets further than any in the barracks. And in the rush to the outside considerable brick fell and some hot ones hit his left foot, and caused considerable pain and several years afterward occasional trouble.

The other one accident was out on the range and a shell deflected and a very small fragment of steel cut under his left eye. Blood gushed forth, and he was amazed as it was such a light prick. A group of sight seers seeing him retire for first aid, remarked,"there's another soldier will be getting a pension". Strange as it may seem a month later he did enter the hospital and have the steel removed. He was honored with a first class gunners badge.

And when he was discharged held the rank of Corporal, was asked to re-enlist, with rank of Sargant, the officer stated the U.S. Army needs soldiers of your caliber. He received all of twenty-five dollars per month at the last, started with 14.00 dollars per month.

In those days pay was poor, and promotions slow, and reputation of the Military personel not to good, regardless of all the good men who were serving. The general public looked askance at them. As Lawrence often laughed and told how good they were, and free passes etc, after the Quake-fire, In three months time they were no better than a dog in fact one of the amusing signs of the Golden Gate park, was "Keep off the grass" "this means, Soldiers and Dogs."

It was on November 29, 1906 when Lawrence Mosby Corn was honorable discharged, and on his army record were these words. "Character Excellent". No truer words could have been spoken or sritten of him.

All his life his character has been above reproach. Returning again to his home in Faxon, Oklahoma, he caused quiet a stir among the young ladies of that little community. His Military carriage two tailor made suits, occasionaly dressed in uniform of the old blues. His curly brown hair and twinkling blue eyes, together with his jolly laughter, was enough to get them all jittery. It was then he became interested in the girl chum of his sister Elfa, whom he had teased unceasingly when twelve years old. Now after his years away she was reached the great age of a little past 16 years.

And so it was one Sunday after noon in early fall, Lawrence M. Corn decided to find him a gal. So over the hill he drove to Sunny Side School house to Church Services. Now a certain father, namely Loten P. Arnett, had laughingly remarked to his eldest Virginia, that, "That rig was going to tie up at our gate post" I laughed and answered, in a certain surness of knowing the answer. "Lawrence only thinks of me as a kid now don't start planning".

Imagine my utter surprise, when I had greeted him in our young peoples group he very nicely proceeds to get me a little aside from them, and ask for a date, for that evening. I am really stumped, and looking up for some one, to give me time to think, there stands my father, with a I told you so look and, still uninterested air about him. I honestly admit never before or after was I surprised by any other young man who wanted a date. We certainly had some very good times at the James Corn resident, Arnetts and the Lincoln Kelso Home.

Lawrence fitted into my family, and in his declining years and last weeks, I realized how much he meant to my family, for he was their second Dad. Of the group who used to keep up the good attendance at evening church services in Faxon, were Myrtle and Willis, Maude and Henry, Elfa and George. Lawrence and I. and the greatest little diplomat of the Corn family, little sister Edna.

Never once did any secrets or information leak out, through her talking out of turn. So she was always certain of a place to ride to church with her big brother and his girl.

Poor old horse Pet couldn't go by our front gate always stopped. Now of those of the old gang, Myrtle married Willis Botkin, Maude, Henry Parker, and Lawrence and I married, all of the men are gone to their reward in the greater land.

In the fall of 1910 Lawrence again decided to come to California, this time Ontario, as it was there I was. We had broken off our first engagement, but had been warming it up again by mail. Then while here he worked a short time at the Hotpoint, home Hotpoint Iron, now known as General Electric.

Then went to Whittier California where he worked for some time on the largest Walnut and grain ranch there. Again he is a builder of a road. Helping in building many miles of fine roads for the automobiles.

It was on April 19, 1911, at 6:45 P.M. that Lawrence Mosby Corn and Virginia Laurine Arnett were united in marriage by the Rev. Levi McCash in First Christian Church Ontario, his only relative present was his brother Lemuel L. Corn, who was best man. Our home was established here, and here our two children Elinor Kathleen Corn Wilding and James Loten Corn were born.

Here two of our grandchildren, Valerie Virginia Corn and James Robert Corn were born. Upland is the birth place of our three youngest. Rae Lynn Corn, Frederick William Wilding, and Byron Lawrence Wilding.

For over 30 years 218 East G. St. was our home. For four years 1911 to 1915 Lawrence worked for the City of Ontario Water Department. Again his pioneer spirit prevails, as he was the construction man when the new Municipal system was organized, and laid many large water mains in Ontario.

Then installed the sprinkling system on the campus graounds of the Chaffey Union High School in Ontario.

A few months in 1915 he and his family were in Oklahoma, returning to Ontario where he was engaged in Citrus ranching. Due to my ill health for over eight years he felt it necessary to get a more renumerative income, after a short time at the General Electric plant, he was sought out by the Southern Counties Gas Company, so in Sept. 1917 he entered their employee, first as outside man, then Stationary Engineer, later adjuster. In the years from 1933 to 1936 his health began to be impaired. So in April 1936 was retired on a disability pension, the nature of his disease Parkinsons. It was impossible for him to take up any other type of work. When he reached the age of sixty-five he was permanently retired

with a small pension, the rest of his life. August 30, 1947 the old friends in the gas company met with him and I, and Jim, for a little party, and presented him with a Westminister Chimes General Electric Mantle Clock. With name plates and dates of service.

This was held in his old home 218 East G. St. before we moved to our little new home 220 East G. St. in Sept. 18, 1947.

He enjoyed his grandchildren, who always understood his condition, and never caused him worry. "His words " They are all the best lookers in the family." Of a sensitive retiring nature, hard worker, and a definite family man.

All his dealings were square and fair, his one thought upper most always was to provide for his family as many of lifes comforts and conveniences possible. This he did, He was a member of the Bethel Congregational Church in Ontario the latter days of his life. He was honored by being made a deacon for life. For years he ministered to aged and shut-ins assisting with baptisms and many other of the practical side of church life.

So with all the courage which he showed in his young life in San Francisco, he assumed that last assignment, years of helpless invalidism. Never did he show the least fear of death. Just waited Gods appointed time for it. Once a friend took his life, and in his remarks, he said "Thats too bad to lose hope." "I would never hasten Gods plan, how ever long it may take".

So as a soldier of Christ did he fulfill his last mission to the last letter, And entered into that new home with confidence, courage christian under standing. Tuesday, Jan. 30, 1951. 3:30 A.M. So ended the life of a modest, good citizen, husband and father, and grandfather, and on Friday Feb. 2, 1951 at 2:00 P.M. His family his inlaws the Arnetts, and a host of friends said farewell, in a beautifully flower decked chapel on a beautiful clear day.

I now write finis to this story of him whom I shared so much of lifes good and hard times. And whose love I was certain of always. All fathers and husbands are measured in my thinking with his year stick of consideratic and goodness.

Again I say Lawrence Mosby Corn, Honorably discharged from earthly life into Gods great beyond. "Character Excellent".

Elfa Beatrice Corn, born, 19, June.1891, Jasper, Ind.
married 1st. 1911
William Shields, born, 29,Aug.1890, Williamson Co. Texas
son of William Thomas Sheilds and Mary Jemeyson
died, 17, Mar. 1913,
No Issue:
married 2nd. 18,Dec.1915.
Victor Lawson, born, 8, July. 1895, Ardmore, Okla.
son of William F. Lawson and Virginia

Children of Victor and Elfa Lawson:

1. Beatrice Lawson, born 19, Nov. 1916, Faxon, Okla.
   married
   Samuel Page Martin
   Children: 1. Stephen Edward Martin
   born, 18,July.1947, Fredonia, Kans
   2. Samuel Page Martin Jr.
   born, 28, May.1949, Ft. Worth, Texas
2. Jack Lawson, born, 31, May. 1918, Faxon, Okla.
   married,
   Loretta _____
   Children: 1. Larry Jack Lawson,
   born, 13, Oct. 1946, Lawton, Okla
   2. Loretta Janice Lawson,
   born, 15, Oct. 1948, Lawton, Okla.
3. Helen M. Lawson. born, 9,Jan. 1920, Faxon, Okla.
   married,
   Robert Strom
   Children: 1. Sandra Kay
   born, 14,Feb.1944, Lawton, Okla.
   2. Jill,
   born, 9,Aug.1948, Tulsa, Okla
   3. Robin,
   born, 17,Sept.1955, Oklahoma City, Okla
4. Gerald Lawson, born, 21,Aug.1922, Faxon, Okla.
   married:
   Vernetta _____
   Children:. 1. Sherry Lawson, (adopted)
   born,
   2. Lana Elaine Lawson,
   born, 16,Sept.1941
   3. Jana Sue Lawson
   born, 8,Feb.1948
5. Dorothy Lawson, born, 2,Feb.1925, Faxon, Okla.
   married:
   Kenneth Leslie Youngblood
   Children: 1. Jerry Stoker,
   born, 2, Feb. 1945, Scranton, Pa.
   2. Karen Nan Youngblood
   born, 27, May. 1950, Norman, Okla
   3. Kay Leslie Youngblood,
   born, 10, Oct. 1954, Lawton, Okla.

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6. Cecil Lawson , born, 7, Apr. 1927, Faxon, Okla.
   married:
   Martha Lou Nauman
   Children: 1. Cherlyn Lawson,
   born, dead, Lawton, Okla.
   2. Susan Gayle Lawson,
   born, 13, Jan. 1950, Lawton, Okla
   3. Thomas Brent Lawson
   born, 20, July. 1952, Lawton, Okla.

Edna Grace Corn , born, 26, Nov. 1894, Ireland, Dubois, Ind.
   married, 1, June. 1913, Lawton, Okla.
Noah Wesley Arrington, born, 30, Nov. 1889, Reedhill, Cocke, Tenn.
   son of Lee Roy Madison Arrington and Priscilla Jane Brisendine.

My Father and Mother came to Idaho, a new land of opportunity in the fall of 1913, with only a few dollars to their name. My parents worked hard, and were thrifty. Little by little they purchased land as money was available. At present they own 280 acres of irrigated land, some of the best in Magic Valley.

Both are active members of the Latter Day Saints Church, Father served 17 years as Bishop in the Church. Mother was President of the Relief Society, the womens orginization for 3 years, and had been a teacher in all other orginizations. 5 of their ten children have filled Missions for the Church; LeRoy to the Southern States, Wayne, to the Calif. Mission, Don, to the East Central States, Ralph to Argentina, Ross to Australia. My Father to the Southern States. All paid their own expenses.

Six of the ten children have attended College. My parents have been able to travel a little inbetween raising their family. They have toured Hawaii, Canada, and a good share of the United States. Having vacationed one summer in Miama, Florida.

Children of N.W. and Edna Arrington:

1. LeRoy Wesley Arrington, born, 15, Jan. 1914, Twin Falls, Idaho.
   married, 12, Nov. 1936,
   Mary Frances Nix, born, 26, July. 1916,
   daughter of James Daniel Nix and Mary Frances Taylor
   Children: 1. Mary Drena Arrington
   born, 1, Jan. 1938, Ogden, Utah
   2. Patty ~~Ann~~ Jean Arrington,
   born, 2, Feb. 1943, Twin Falls, Idaho

2. Thelma Eileen Arrington, born, 14, Feb. 1916, Twin Falls, Ida.
   died, 23, Jan. 1917.

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3. Leonard James Arrington, born, 2,July, 1917, Twin Falls, Idaho
   married, 24,Apr.1943, Raleigh, N.C.
   Macie Grace Fort, born, 9,Feb.1914, Wake Forest, N.C.
   daughter of John William Fort and Nina Haithcock
   Children: 1. James Wesley Arrington,
   born, 17,Dec.1948, Logan, Utah.
   2. Carl Wayne Arrington,
   born, 13,Sept.1951, Logan, Utah
   3. Susan Grace Arrington,
   born, 25,Aug.1954, Logan, Utah.

4. Marie Arrington, born 5, May. 1919, Twin Falls, Idaho
   married, 23,Sept.1937, Salt Lake City, Utah.
   Ezra Earl Davidson, born, 6, May. 1917, Oakley, Idaho.
   son of Charles Earl Davidson and Lillian May Tucker
   Children: 1. Milton Earl Davidson
   born, 16, Sept. 1938, Twin Falls, Idaho
   2. Deanna Marie Davidson
   born, 6, June.1940, Twin Falls, Idaho
   died 10, June.1952, Twin Falls, Idaho
   3. Charles Ezra Davidson,
   born, 1,July.1944, Twin Falls, Idaho
   4. Jerry Dean Davidson,
   born, 10, Jan. 1948, Twin Falls, Idaho

5. Kenneth Richard Arrington, born, 10,Nov.1923, Twin Falls, Idaho
   married 1st. 16,Sept.1942,
   Juanita Georgina Nix, born, 19,Apr.1923,
   Children: 1. Farlin Wesley Arrington
   born, 15,Aug.1943 Twin Falls, Idaho
   married 2nd. 20,Aug. 1952, Idaho Falls, Idaho
   Doris Viola Baldwin born, 4,Dec.1928, Fairfield, Ida.
   children: 1. Richard Baldwin Arrington
   born, 3, July, 1953, Twin Falls, Idaho

6. Asa Wayne Arrington,born, 10, May.1925, Twin Falls, Idaho

7. Doris Elaine Arrington, born, 23,Sept.1927, Twin Falls, Idaho

8. Donald Charles Arrington, born, 25,July,1929, Twin Falls,Idaho.
   married: 19,Sept.1952, Logan, Utah
   Vella Cleone Baird, born, 19,Jan.1933, Carey, Idaho.
   daughter of Ernest Wallace Baird and Florence Edith Harris
   Children: 1. Douglas Reed Arrington
   born, 20, Oct. 1954, Jerome, Ida.
   2. Donna Lou Arrington
   born, 17, May.1956, Jerome, Ida.

9. Ralph Marvin Arrington, born, 11,Dec.1930, Twin Falls, Ida.
   married: 22,June.1956, Manti, Utah
   Virgie Potter, born, 24,July, 1936, Loa, Wayne Co. Utah
   daughter of William Columbus Potter and Mabel Brinkerholf
   Children: 1. Connie Sue Arrington
   born, 11, June. 1957, Twin Falls, Ida.

10. Ross Lamont Arrington, born. 7,Feb.1934, Twin Falls, Idaho
    At present the assistant to an Army Chaplain, Ft. Carson,Colo.

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Erasmus Lee Kelso, 3rd child of Lemuel L. and Sarah Kelso,
born 23, Mar. 1858, Ireland, Ind.
died, 24, Dec. 1916, in San Francisco, Calif.
He Married, Gay Underwood
born, 1860,

Children: Roland Kelso
Edith Kelso
Bird Kelso
Two other children names unKnown

This family went to California at an early date and I have been unable to locate anyone knowing of them.

Lincoln Phelps Kelso, 4th child of Lemuel and Sarah Kelso.
born, 25, Oct. 1859, Ireland, Ind.
died 3, Sept. 1933, in Enid, Garfield Co. Okla.
He married Sarah Dillon Glezen 6, Nov. 1883,
She was the daughter of Edward Agustus Glezen and Mary Dillon
born, 2, June. 1864 in Ireland, Ind.
died, 27, Feb. 1946, in Enid, Okla.

Children:
1. Mary Anna Kelso, born, 24, Apr. 1885, Ireland, Ind.
died. 4, Aug. 1914.
2. Sarah Turner Kelso, born, 20, Jan. 1888, Ireland, Ind.
Married : 8, May. 1917,
Porter William Hopkins, M.D.
born, 6, Aug. 1880, Jasper, Ind.
son of Frank Hopkins and Alice Mathias.
died, 14, Aug. 1957, in Enid, Okla.
Children: (adopted)
1. Betty Jo Hopkins, born, 29, Mar. 1922,
Married, 17, May. 1944,
John Ewald Altenberg, born, 10, Dec. 1918,
son of John A. Altenborg and Hilda C. Nelson
Children:
1. Terry Gene Altenberg born, 16, July 1945, in Enid, Okla.
2. Belira Kay Altenberg,
born, 29, Aug. 1949, Linsborg, Kans.
3. James Steven Altenberg,
born, 2, July, 1952. Linsborg, Kans.
2. Mary Lou Hopkins
born, 4, Mar. 1924, Springfield, Ill.
3. Edward Agustus Kelso,
born, 8, Apr. 1890, Ireland, Ind.
died, 1890
4. Lemuel Lock Kelso,
born, 13, Oct. 1891, Ireland, Ind.
Married: 2, Mar. 1923
Pauline Pierson, born, 21, Dec. 1893,
dau. John Henry Pierson and Sarah Elizabeth Droz.
Children:
1. Sarah Helen Kelso, born, 1926
died 1926.
2. Lemuel Lock Kelso, born, 10, Apr. 1928,
3. Miriam Louise Kelso,
born, 23, May. 1930, Lubbock, Texas.
Married, 14, Aug. 1953.
Harold Dean Burkhardt born, 22, Sept. 1927,
son of Floyd B. Burkhardt and Aileen McPharl

ısannah Bathsheba Kelso, 5th child of Lemuel Locke and Sarah Turner
ıappell Kelso was born 11 Feb. 1861 near Ireland Ind. and died
, Feb. 1943 at Bruceville, Knox Co. Ind. On March 1, 1883, she
ırried Joseph Hugh Barr, who was born at Bruceville, Ind., where he
ıed 1, Feb. 1922, He was a farmer, stock raiser, banker and politicion
ıildren:

1. Hugh Lemuel Barr, born, 2,Dec.1883; Bruceville, Ind.
2. Sarah Kelso Barr, born. 24,Dec.1884, Bruceville, Ind.
3. Martha Baird Barr, born. 27, Jan. 1886, Bruceville, Ind.
4. Oscar Lynn Barr, born. 14, Sept. 1887, Bruceville, Ind.
5. Charles Hollingsworth Barr, born. 17, April 1892, Bruceville, Ind.

. Hugh Lemuel Barr, born. 2, Dec. 1883, and married 23, Nov. 1916 at
.cknell, Ind. to Clara Malinda Spelbring, born, 10,Nov.1884 at Poland,
ıay Co. Indiana, daughter of Rose Moore and Frank Spelbring.
Mr. Barr was educated at Vincennes University, Vincennes, Ind.,
ıd Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. He was County Attorney;
ıuper Attorney; Prosecuting Attorney; Welfare Director; Member of
.ate Committee for Prosecuting Attorneys of Indiana. Head of several
ıdges, including Royal Arch Masons and Royal and Select Master Masons.
ı is now retired from the law, and is a Real Estate Broker in Santa
ırbara, Calif. They have no children:

Sarah Kelso Barr, born, 24,Dec.1884, married in Bruceville, Ind.
,Oct.1915, to Martin E. Linquest, who was born at La Porte, Ind.
,Apr. 1890, the son of Emma Anderson and Ernest G. Linquest
Martin E. Linquest was manager of Universal Atlas Cement Co.
ıildren:

1.Ernest Barr Linquest, born, 2,Dec.1919, Duluth, Minn.
died, 12,Apr.1954 in Michigan
married, 11, June.1949
Genevieve Thalner, born, 12,Nov. 1925, Jackson, Michigan.
daughter of Florence Duncan and Dr. Leonard Frank Thalner
Ernest Barr Linquest was a graduate of the University of Michigan
and was a First Lieutenant in the second World War, serving in the
European Theater; discharged July 4, 1946; recalled into service
March 23, 1951; served in the Ordinance Dept. and served in Japan;
discharged March 23, 1953,
Children:
1. Eric Barr Linquest, born, 24,Mar.1950, Jackson, Mich.
2. Kurt Owen Linquest, born. 24, June.1953, Jackson, Mich

Martha Baird Barr, born, 27,Jan.1886, Bruceville, Ind. She
rried 25,Dec.1905 Don Douglas Slinkard, who was born 27,Nov.
82 at Edwardsport, Knox Co. Ind.
ıildren:

1. Susie Simonson Slinkard, born, 19,Dec.1906, Los Angeles, Calif.
married; 25,Dec.1928
Virgil E. Williams, born, 14, Nov. 1903, Wheatland, Ind.
son of Emma and William Williams , He served in the U.S. Navy
for 8 years.
Children:
1.Virginia Sue Williams , born, 6,Nov.1929, Santa Barbara, Calif.
married 1st. 19,July.1946, later (divorced)
Joseph Lyle Dinnell, born, 6,June.1919, in Calif. He was in
the Navy during World War II

Children
1.Michael Lyle Dinnell, born, 20, May 1947, Paradise, Calif.
2. Jacqueline Sue Dinnell, born. 17,July,1949, Paradise,Calif.
3. Kathleen Diane Dinnell, born. 6, July,1951, Paradise, Calif.
irginia Sue Williams.
married 2nd. 14,Feb.1954,
ohn L. Loopeker

.2. Walter Gayne Williams, born,23,June.1935, Santa Barbara, Calif.
married; 7,Sept. 1955,
Mae Laws, daughter of Albert Laws,

2. Martha Ruth Slinkard, born. 30, Jan. 1910, Bruceville, Ind.
married, 21,Oct.1927, Los Angeles, Calif.
George E. Foley, born. 3,Sept..1908, in Missouri, He was in the Marines before his marriage.
Children:
1.George Lee Foley, born. 6,June.1928, Corcoran, Calif.
married; 12,July.1946, San Francisco, Calif.
Evelyn Schwartz, born, 8,Feb.1927, in Calif.
He was in the Navy during World War, II
Children:
1. Lynda Lee Foley, born. 7,Sept.1955, Fresno,Calif.
2. Richard Edward Foley, born. 25,Aug.1931, Los Angeles, Calif.
married, 5,Feb.1955, in Calif.
Etta Faye Brewer, born. 5, June.1930, in Ky.
He served in the Army , served in Korea, and is now a Sergeant, stationed at Petaluma, Calif.
3. Joseph Wall Slinkard, born, 18,Mar.1912, Los Angeles, Calif.
married, 20,Sept.1932, at Nashville, Ind.
Virginia Ruth McArthur, born, 20,Sept.1913, Bruceville, Ind.
daughter of Ulysses G. McArthur and Carrie Wells.
Children:
1.Donald Grant Slinkard, born, 8,Sept.1933, Bruceville, Ind.
died 28,Dec.1945, Akron, Ohio

Mary Alice Slinkard, born, 27,Oct.1913, Bruceville, Ind.
married; 20, July.1935, Bruceville, Ind.
William E. Stedman, born. 26, May.1914, New Lebanon, Ind;
son of Elsie Cummings and William A. Stedman.
Children:
1. Barbara Ann Stedman, born. 8,Aug.1936, Sullivan, Ind.
married; 21,July,1956,
Ronald Watson, born. 29, July.1934, Carlile, Ind.
son of Irvin Watson
2. William Joe Stedman, born. 3,Aug.1937 Sullivan, Ind.
3. Joan Lynne Stedman, born. 5, Dec. 1942, Greencastle, Ind.

Alfred Barr Slinkard , born, 11,Feb. 1915, Los Angeles, Calif.
married; 22,Feb.1936, Los Angeles, Calif.
Alice Luella Hortka, born. 11, July. 1917, Los Angeles, Calif.
Children:
1. Rex Alfred Slinkard, born, 14,Jan.1937, Los Angeles, Calif.
2. Laura Luella Slinkard, born. 6, Mar. 1948, North Hollywood, Calif.
3. Stephen Douglas Slinkard, born, 1, Apr. 1949, North Hollywood, Cal.

6. Donna Douglas Slinkard, born. 17, June. 1916, Los Angeles, Calif.
   married: 29, Oct. 1938, Bruceville, Ind.
   William Roger Ayres, born. 15, June. 1913, Logansport, Ind.
   son of Lee Roger Ayres and Grace McIlhwain
   Children:
      1. Douglas Roger Ayres, born, 30, Sept. 1940, Gary, Ind.
         died, 30, Sept. 1940,
      2. Bruce Edward Ayres, born. 10, Apr. 1943, Gary, Ind.
      3. Byron Lee Ayres, born. 17, Dec. 1946, Gary, Ind.
      4. Cynthia Lynn Ayres, born. 5, Dec. 1948, Gary, Ind.

4. Oscar Lynn Barr, born, 14, Sept. 1887, Bruceville, Ind.
   married 14, Sept. 1916,
   Stella Florence Walker Chambers, born. 23, Mar. 1883, Lebanon, Ind.
   daughter of Indiana Funkhauser and John McClure Walker
   Oscar Lynn Barr died, 13, Feb. 1945
   His wife Stella married 2nd. Eugene C. Worf.
   Children:
      1. Joseph Walker Barr, born. 17, Jan. 1918, Vincennes, Ind.
         married. 3, Sept. 1939,
         Beth Ann Williston,
         Children:
            1. Bonnie Jane Barr. born. 1. Mar. 1942, Indianapolis, Ind.
            2. Cherry Ann Barr, born, 5, June. 1946, Indianapolis, Ind.
            3. Joseph Williston Barr, born, 1, Apr. 1949, Indianapolis, Ind.
            4. Elizabeth Eugenie Barr, born, 12, Mar. 1952, Indianapolis, Ind.
            5. Lynn Barr, born. 8, Dec. 1953, Indianapolis, Ind.
      2. John Hugh Barr, born, 6, Nov. 1919, Vincennes, Ind.
         married; 28, Dec. 1950,
         Doris Mae Wilson, born. 31, July. 1923,
         daughter of Mary and Dr. Guy Wilson
         Children:
            1. David Wilson Barr, born. 18, Feb. 1954 Champaign, Ill

5. Charles Hollingsworth Barr, born, 17, Apr. 1892, Bruceville, Ind.
   married, 14, Oct. 1914,
   Alice Belle Fox, born, 6, June. 1894, Bicknell, Ind.
   daughter of Milton Fox and Mary Louisa Ford.
   Children:
      1. Mary Lou Barr, born, 28, Apr. 1917, Bruceville, Ind.
         married; 21, Jan. 1939,
         Earl Edmund Faulkner, born. 9, Nov. 1917, Hartford, Ind.
         son of Ida Coates and George John Faulkner,
         Children:
            1. Richard Edmund Faulkner,
               born. 8, Feb. 1940, Vincennes, Ind.

2. Susan Angela Faulkner
born, 20, Feb. 1943 Vincennes, Ind.
3. Anne Theresa Faulkner
born, 12, Nov. 1947, Vincennes, Ind.
4. Jane Alice Faulkner
born, 18, Dec. 1951, Vincennes, Ind.

2. Charles Lee Barr Jr.
born, 6, Jan. 1924, Bruceville, Ind.
Married: 17, Jan. 1948
Helen L. Morris, born 31, Oct. 1927, in Ohio
Children: 1. Sally Anne Barr
born, 5, Jan. 1950, Atlanta, Ga.
2. Thomas Michael Barr
born. 18, Nov. 1951, Atlanta, Ga.
3. Mary Lynn Barr
born, 24, Jan. 1955, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Benjamin Hall Kelso 6th child of Lemuel L, and Sarah Kelso.
born, 11, July, 1863, Ireland, Ind.
died, 3, Dec. 1891 Dubois Co. Ind.
Married:
Ida Flint, born, 13, Aug. 1865, near Ireland, Ind.
daughter of John Q. A. Flint and Elvira Brittain
Children: 1. Cecile Calvert Kelso
born, 11, Aug. 1887, Rushcenter, Kans.
died, 6, Feb. 1922,
Married:
Hazel Johnson , born, 7, Feb. 1890,
children: 1. Chadwick Johnson Kelso
born, 6, June. 1914,
died, Apr. 1945,
Married:
Genevive Baker
2. Elvira Kelso
born, 7, Dec. 1889, Rushcenter, Kans.
died, Nov. 1921,

Ulysses Grant Kelso, 8th child of Lemuel L, and Sarah Kelso.
born, 20, July. 1866, Ireland, Ind.
died, 11, May. 1938, Vincennes, Ind.
Married:
Bernadine (Dena) Schroering, born, 2, Apr. 1874, Celestine, Ind.
died 7, Jan. 1954, Evansville, Ind.
Children: 1. Sarah Agnes Kelso
born, 13, May. 1902, Dubois, Ind.
died, 28, Feb. 1957
2. Irene Barbars Kelso
born, 21, Feb. 1904, Dubois, Ind.
Married: 5, June. 1928,
Frank John Schymik, born, 12, Aug. 1896, Evansville, Ind.
Children: 1. Patricia Ann Schymik
born, 27, Mar. 1929, Evansville, Ind.
Married: 26, July. 1952,
James L. Whelan

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DR. ULYSSES G. KELSO

The passing of Dr. Kelso marks in Vincennes another step in a changing world. He was a product of the loveable old school of medical practice, beloved to his patients and respected by his acquaintances.

Following the ancient traditions of American doctors, he answered calls of distress at midnight hours in weather of all kinds. He found his clientele among families which often left the doctor bill until last to pay - and just as often it never was paid.

Short in stature and with the earthy philosophy with which early American physicians always were blessed, Dr. Kelso was a familiar figure in north Vincennes, where for twenty years he carried his pillbox.

Only a few of the old time physicians are left. When they are gone, they will never be replaced. An age of specialism, of cold, businesslike practice, is at hand.

The above a newpaper article at the death of Dr. Ulysses G. Kelso.

2. Francis (Frank) Kelso Schymik
born, 7, Feb. 1931, Evansville, Ind.
3. Francilla Kelnor Schymik
born 7, Feb. 1931,

3. Arthur Frederick Kelso,
born, 2, Apr. 1908, Dubois , Ind.
Married 1st. 1930
Alma Larson, born, 5, Jan. 1910,
died 31, Aug. 1950, Burke, So. Dak.
Married 2nd. 23, June. 1953,
Leota Chambers,
Children: 1. Grant Edward Kelso
born, 1, Apr. 1934, Chicago, Ill.
2. Byron Lynn Kelso
born, 21, Mar. 1937, Chicago, Ill.
Married:
Linda.
3. Larry Larson Kelso,
born, 11, Jan. 1939, So. Dak.
4. Linda Lou Kelso,
born, 11, Jan. 1939, So. Dak.

4. Florence Pauline Kelso
born, 24, Sept. 1911, Dubois, Ind.
Married: 25, Apr. 1942,
Mearrald McKinney
born,
No Children:
5. Lemuel Charles Kelso
born, 10, Jan. 1916,
Married: Feb. 1939,
Mary Elizabeth Clark, born, 3, Feb. 1918,
Children: 1. Kathryn Ann Kelso
born, 25, Nov. 1939.
6. Elizabeth Catherine Kelso
born, 31, Dec. 1917, Dubois, Ind.
died, 2, Jan. 1933,

Edith Kelso, 9th Child of Lemuel L. and Sarah Kelso.
born 30, July, 1871, ~~Bruceville~~, Ind. Dubois
died 9, May. 1918, Bruceville, Ind.
Married: 22, Mar. 1892.
John A. Gude, born. 27, July. 1863, Bruceville, Ind.
died, 6, Mar. 1932, Bruceville, Ind.
son of, Capt. Alfred Gude and Nancy Jane Holmes
Children:
1. Delilah K Gude
born, 1, July. 1894, Bruceville, Ind.
2. Sara Gude
born 10, Aug. 1899, Bruceville, Ind.
Married: 24, Dec. 1920,
William T. Willis , born, 23, Mar. 1896, Bruceville, Ind.
son of Frank Willis and Jennie Sartor
died, 5, Apr. 1932,
No Children.

3. John Gude Jr.
born, 17, Oct. 1902, Bruceville, Ind.
died, 3, June. 1951.
Married: 24, June. 1929,
Martha Howard, Jackson, Tenn.
daughter of Frank Howard and Lydia Swink
No records of children.

4. Harry E. Gude
born, 2, Nov. 1908. Bruceville, Ind.
Married 5, Oct. 1935.
Jewell Locke , born, 9, Mar. 1915, Frankfort, Ind.
daughter of John Locke and Connie Stuart
Children: 1. John Stuart Gude
born, 14, July 1936, Gary, Ind.
2. James Kelso Gude
born, 16, Oct. 1939, Gary, Ind.
3. Peter William Gude
born, 4, Mar. 1945, Gary, Ind.

Effie (Effa) Kelso , 10th child of Lemuel L. and Sarah Kelso.
born, 5, Sept. 1873, ~~Bruceville~~, Ind. Freeland,
died, 20, Dec. 1944, Bruceville, Ind.
Married:
John William Boyd , born, 14, June. 1873, Bruceville, Ind.
Children: 1. Miriam Boyd,
born, 2, July, 1895, Bruceville, Ind.
Married: 18, Sept.1932,
Joseph W. Webb born, 4, Mar. 1876, San Jose, Ill.
died, 1. May. 1953, Dallas, Texas.
son of Samuel Webb and
No Children.
2. Charles Lemuel Boyd
born, 1, Sept. 1898 Bruceville, Ind.
Married: 3, Oct. 1942
Doris Higgins, born 7, Mar. 1916, Freelandsville, Ind.
Children: 1. Earl Allen Boyd
born, 23,Oct.1943, Vincennes,Ind.
2. Charles Lemuel Boyd Jr.
born, 11,July.1945, Vincennes,Ind.
3. Marvin Edward Boyd
born, 11,May.1947, Vincennes,Ind.
3. Marie Boyd
born, 29, Jan. 1908, Bruceville, Ind.
4. John Curtis Boyd
born, 28, Sept. 1910, Bruceville,
Married:
Opal Ray.
No record of children.

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Zenas Cicero Kelso, 1st child of Lemuel L. and Mary Jane Kelso.
born, 9, June.1882, Ireland, Dubois,Co. Ind.
died, 2, May. 1953 . Williams, Iowa
Married: 10, Aug. 1902, Porterville, Ind.
Nancy LuVerda Brown
born, 20, Apr. 1880,
daughter of Martin Brown and Diana Williams
Children:
1. Verna Ruth Kelso
born, 24,Dec.1903, Ireland, Ind.
Married: 9, Feb. 1927
Leslie A. Kolb.
born, 14, Jan. 1892.
Children: 1. Joy Carmeen Kolb,
born, 19,Dec.1927, Holstein, Iowa.
Married: 23,Nov.1947
Wendell Everette Michaelson
born, 9,Aug.1923,
Children: 1. Susan Kay Michaelson
born, 25, Aug. 1948, Ida Grove,Iowa
2. Lorna Jean Michaelson
born, 25,Feb.1951, Ida Grove, Iowa.
3. David Len Michaelson
born, 10,July,1953
4. Melanie Ann Michaelson
born, 24,Apr.1955
2. Jo Anne Mae Kolb
born, 25, Apr. 1930, Holstein, Iowa
Married: 7, Feb. 1953,
Harley Sherman Nelson
born, 23,Aug. 1929
Children: 1. Kimberly Jo Nelson
born, 14, May. 1955, Aurelia, Iowa
3. Mary Lou Kolb
born, 14, Oct. 1934, Holstein, Iowa
4. Nancy LuVerda Kolb
born, 18, Oct. 1941, Holstein, Iowa.

2. Boy, born premature
2,June.1906.
3. Irenne Wilhelmina Kelso
born, 12,June.1909, Mountain Grove, Missouri,
Married: 4,June.1934
William Jennings Bryan
born, 17, May. 1907,
Children: 1. Janet Nadine Bryan
born, 5, May. 1937, Williams, Iowa
2. Gerald William Bryan,
born, 25,Sept. 1941, Charles City, Iowa
4. Russell Vaughn Kelso
born, 25,Apr. 1913, Mountain Grove, Mo.
Married: 6, March 1942,
Veronica McLaughlin

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born,
Children: 1. Douglas John Kelso
born, 5, June.1944, Mason City, Iowa
2. Gerald (Gary) David Kelso
born, 11, June. 1946, Mason City, Iowa
3. Barbara Ann Kelso
born, 18, Sept. 1943,

5. Doyle Don Kelso
born, 4, June. 1920, Galvu, Iowa
Married: 10, June. 1944
Lenora V. Westwick
born,
Children: 1. Dennis Doyle Kelso
born, 19, Oct. 1947, Iowa
2. Sherilyn Kay Kelso
born, 6,Aug. 1952, Iowa.

6. Marion Burdette Kelso,
born, 7, Feb. 1925, Williams, Iowa
Married;. 9, June.1944.
Norma Jane Tysdale
born,
Children: 1. Steven Lynn Kelso
born, 23,Aug. 1953, Waterloo, Iowa

Isaac Howard Kelso, 2nd child of Lemuel L. and Mary Jane Kelso
born, 5, July. 1884, Dubois Co. Ind.
Married:
Maud Sullivan
born, 6, Aug. 1884, Otwell, Ind.
Children:
1. Harry Randal Kelso
born, 19, Sept. 1906
Married: 1st.
Pauline,
Children, Martha June Kelso
born, 12, Apr. 1928,
Married; 2nd.
Margaret White
born, 16, Sept. 1922
Children : 1. Linda Kay Kelso,
born, 11, Mar. 1947.

Harry Allen Kelso, 3rd child of Lemuel L. and Mary Jane Kelso.
born, 4, Feb. 1887,
Married: .
Dove Haskins
born, 11, July, 1888, Dubois Co. Ind.
Children:
1. Glenn E. Kelso,
born, 14, Apr. 1907, Pike Co. Ind.
Married:
Fay Van Tilburg
born, 17,Sept.1907, Rockford, Ohio.
Children: 1. Patricia Lou Kelso
born, 15,Aug. 1936, Fort Wayne, Ind.

2. Floyd Lemuel Kelso
born, 1, Jan. 1915, Pike Co. Ind.
Serving in the Navy
3. Mary Ruth Kelso
born, 3, July. 1919, Pike Co. Ind.
Married: 10, Feb. 1946
John Ivan Roy
born. 1, Jan. 1920, Surgeon, Ind.
Children: 1. Mary Jo Roy
born, 5, June. 1948, Indianapolis, Ind.
2. Betty Lou Roy
born, 16, May. 1950, Indianapolis, Ind.

Clara Anetta Kelso 4th child of Lemuel L. and Mary Jane Kelso
born, 5, Feb. 1890
died, 20, May. 1890

Twins were born 11, Oct. 1888 and died the same day.
to Lemuel L. Kelso and Mary Jane Kaughman.

JAMES LYNN KELSO , 3rd child of Andrew Foster Kelso and Susannah E. Hargrave, was born 1834 in Ireland, Indiana. He died in Dunsmuir, California. He married Elizabeth Jane McMurtrie , daughter of James B. McMurtrie and Louisanna Jane Corn. Elizabeth was raised by her grandparents Jesse Corn and his wife Elizabeth Mosby, her parents died before she was 12 years of age.
Tracing this part of the Kelso family has been very dificult. I do know that James Kelso worked for the Railroad Company in Dunsmuir, Calif. Where he and his wife died over 30 years ago. He had at least four children.

Children:

1. Frank Kelso
born,
died, about 1942 in Dunsmuir, Calif.
He was married and had at least one son Carl. No other data available.
2. Mary, Kelso
born,
died, in Dunsmuir Calif.
It is thought she never married but lived with her mother after the death of the father. But she has been dead well over 30 years.
3. Edward Eugene Kelso
born 9, Dec. 1873,
died, 8, Nov. 1943 in Sacramento, Calif.
He married Annie Elizabeth _____. She was a native of Sweden, He married her then sent for her two children Ida Augusta and Doris who were yet in Sweden. The little information I have been able to get on this family was from Doris Elizabeth Simington, who now lives in Saoto, Calif.
4. Blanche Kelso
born,
died.
She married a Mr. Steele according to the Records of the Railroad, for whom her father worked. It is thought she left Dunsmuir, Calif. Her whereabouts is unknown

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SALLIE ELLIS KELSO, 4th child of Andrew F. and Sussannah E. Kelso
born, 13, Aug. 1835, Ireland, Ind.
died, 25, July, 1860, Dubois Co. Ind.
Married: 19, Nov. 1856,
Thomas Hill,
Very little is known of this family, I have tried to locate living descendants which could help me get a complete history.
Children:
1. Ann Hill,
born,
died, 26, Mar. 1878,
Married: 14, Oct. 1871
Thomas R. Greene
born, 6, May. 1845, Dubois Co. Ind.
son of Robert Green and Melissa A. Miller
Children:
Alvah E. Green
born
Eleanor (Nellie) Green
born,
Married:
LeRoy Chambers
Thomas R. Green, married (2) 10, Oct. 1883, M.M. Miller

2. William Hill,
born,
died, when young.

JOHN FOSTER KELSO, 5th child of Andrew F. and Susannah E. Kelso,
born about 1837,
died, in early childhood.

MARTHA ANN KELSO, 6th child of Andrew F. and Sussannah E. Kelso
born, 1839,
died, 1, Jan. 1857, Dubois Co. Ind.

ELIZABETH JANE KELSO, 7th child of Andrew F. and Susannah E. Kelso
born, 22, Apr. 1840, Ireland, Ind.
died, 6, Mar. 1920,
Married: 12, Feb. 1861
Charles E. Preston,
born, 16, Dec. 1833, Pike Co. Ind.
died, 17, Apr. 1893, Algiers, Ind.
son of Alen Preston and wife Martha.
Children:
1. Lelah Preston
born, 7, Apr. 1864, Pike Co. Ind.
2. Della P. Preston
born, 21, Sept. 1882, Pike Co. Ind.
Married: 17, Sept. 1902,
Dr. Rater Gray
born, 1, Apr. 1880,
died, 23, Nov. 1907, Portersville, Ind.
Children: 1. Elizabeth Gray
born, 20, Mar, 1904.

Married: 18, Apr. 1925,
Andrew Theodore Engleman
born, 20, Mar. 1900, Pike Co. Ind.
Children: 1. Dorothy Colleen Engleman
born, 20, June. 1927,
MarriedL
Robert Burton
born,
Children: 1. Karen Sue Burton
born, 20, June. 1946,
Pike Co. Ind.
2. Jack Lee Engleman
born, 3, May. 1931. Pike Co. Ind.

2. Mary Gray
born, 28, Apr. 1907, Pike Co. Ind.
Married: 11, Apr. 1931
Otto Ziegler
born, 2, June. 1898, Indianapolis, Ind.
Children: 1. Patricia Ann Ziegler
born, 7,Dec.1931, Petersburg, Ind.
Married:
George F. Konetsky
born, 28, Feb.
Children: 1. Kathryn Ann Konetsky
born, 20,July,1954,
2. George F. Konetsky
born, 28,Feb.1956.

3. Annah Preston,
born, 8, Oct. 1867, Pike Co. Ind.
died, 5, Sept. 1878

4. Harry K. Preston,
born, 18, Oct. 1865 Pike Co. Ind.
died, 23, Feb. 1868,

BENJAMIN HALL KELSO, 8th child of Andrew F. and Susannah E. Kelso.
born. 19, Mar. 1842, Dubois Co. Ind.
died, 7, May. 1921, New Market, Iowa.
Married: 1st. 16, Mar. 1865,
Mary Ellen Turner
born, 1, Jan. 1849,
died, 10, July, 1884, New Market, Iowa.
Married: 2nd. Mrs. Eades (seperated)
Married: 3rd.
Mary Jane Mann
born, 17, Oct. 1839
died, 30, Sept. 1917,
Children of Benjamin and his first wife:
1. Sanford G. Kelso
born, 31, Aug. 1866, Bedford, Iowa
died, 13, Sept. 1939, Florence, Colo.
Married: 2, Sept. 1890
Jessie A. Cole
born, 21, Sept. 1869, Bedford, Iowa
died, 23, Oct. 1944, Canon City, Colo.
Children: 1. Nancy Bryl Kelso
born, 11, Nov. 1893, Bedford, Iowa
died, 11 Jan. 1894, Bedford, Iowa
2. Jacob Cole Kelso
born, 17, June. 1899, Florence, Colo.
died, 21, Jan. 1900, Florence, Colol
2. Lemuel Lock Kelso
born 29, Mar. 1868, Taylor Co. Iowa
died, 27, Nov. 1929, Bedford, Iowa
Married: 1st. 6, Jan. 1890 (seperated)
Dell Lewis,
born, 28, Mar. 1873
Children: 1. Gracie May Kelso
born, 17, Oct. 1890
died, June. 1906, Olympia, Washington
Married: 2nd. 6, May. 1903
Lydia Gilbert
She died a few years after the marriage.
3. Edgar Ellis Kelso
born, 16, Feb. 1870 Bedford, Iowa
died, 2, Jan. 1871
4. Benjamin Franklin Kelso
born, 25, Aug. 1871 Taylor Co. Iowa
died, 1, July, 1936, New Market, Iowa
Married: 12, Feb. 1895
Dora Jane Jobbins
born, 25, Aug. 1871, Taylor Co. Iowa
died, 16, Mar. 1928, Rochester, Minn.
daughter of Albert Jobbins and Wealthy Jane Jennings
Children: 1. Mary Ethel Kelso
born, 15, Dec. 1895, Bedford, Iowa
Married: 7, Jan. 1920,
Harve H. Thompson

Harve H. Thompson
born, 16, Jan. 1889 Green Co. Tenn.
Children: 1. Darrel Dean Thompson
born, 19, Jan. 1924, Taylor Co. Ia.
Married: 25, Aug. 1949
Delores Irlene Hutton
born, 16, July. 1928, Nodaway Co. Mo
Children: 1. Royce Dean Thompson
born, 3,Mar.1951
Anderson, Ind.
2. Twila Jean Thompson
born, 2,Jan.1954
Elwood, Ind.
3. Cheryl Darlene Thompson
born, 14,Aug.1956
Hartford City, Ind.
2. Doris Ilene Thompson
born, 29, Aug. 1925, Taylor Co. Ia.
Married 25, Mar. 1944
Emory Hardee Jr.
born, 11, Sept. 1924,
Children: 1. Stephen Gary Hardee
born, 21,June.1945
Page Co. Iowa
2. Joleen Rae Hardee
born, 19, Jan. 1948,Elmo,Mo.
died, 14,Aug.1952
3. Scott Lowell Hardee
born, 6, Jan. 1951
Elmo, Mo.
4. Tommy Elton Hardee
born, 25, Feb. 1945
Elmo, Mo.
5. Edwin Emory Hardee
born, 29, Apr. 1957
Elmo, Mo.
3. Max Eldon Thompson
born, 1, Nov. 1927, New Market, Ia
Married: 16, Dec. 1948
Ona Wyleen Fletcher
born, 6, Dec. 1931,
No children:
4. Rosalie Evelyn Thompson
born, 29,Nov.1929 New Market,Ia.
Married; 20, Oct. 1950
Gerald Lee Gray
born, 13, Feb. 1927, Clarinda, Ia.
Children: 1. Debora Dolia Gray
born, 25, Jan.1952
Elmo, Mo.
2. Mark Curtiss Gray
born, 18, Mar. 1956,
Clarinda, Ia.

5.Virginia Jean Thompson
born, 28, July. 1935, New Market, Ia.
Married: 23, Dec. 1954
Donald Robert Hullinger
born, 20, Dec. 1926, Tingley, Ia.
Children: 1. Pamela Sue Hullinger
born, 29, Oct. 1955,
Visalia, Calif.

2. Benjamin Dale Kelso
born, 28, May. 1897, Taylor Co. Ia.
Married: 1st. 30, Aug. 1917, (Seperated)
Della Benson
born, 14, Dec. 1898, Page, Co. Ia.
Married: 2nd. 20, Mar. 1937
Margaret Powell
born,
Children of Benjamin Dale and Della Kelso
1. Beulah Irene Kelso
born, 4, Feb. 1920, Bedford, Ia.
Married 1st. 12, Nov. 1935, (seperated)
Floyd McClain
born, 1911
children: 1. John Cameron McClain
born, 18, May. 1936,
Married 2nd. 25, Nov. 1945,
name not given
Married 3rd, 7, Nov. 1949, (seperated)
Robert Breheney
2. Kenneth Ivan Kelso
born, 3, Jan. 1922, Clarinda, Ia.
Married: 1st. 10, June. 1940, (seperated)
Betty June Faulk
born,
children:1. Douglas Kelso
born, 5, May. 1941,
Married 2nd. 10, June. 1946,
Marguerita Fisch
born, 26, Oct. 1923,
Children: 1. Kathleen Kelso
born, 17,Oct.1948,
Des Moines, Ia.
2. Kenneth Jr. Kelso
born, 20,Oct.1950
Des Moines, Ia.
3. Cindy Sue Kelso
born, 2,Dec.1951,
Des Moines, Ia.
4. Stephen Kelso
born, 11, Feb. 1953, Ia.
5. Theresa Kelso
born, 14, Sept. 1955, Ia.
6. Richard William Kelso
born, 8, Aug. 1957, Ia.

3. Ralph Elton Kelso
born, 17, Jan. 1899, Taylor Co. Ia.
Married: 30, Nov. 1921,
Eva Audrey Manley
born,25, April, 1904, Stockton, Kans.
children: 1. Vida Ileth Kelso
born, 25, July. 1928, Taylor, Ia.
Married: 1st. 14,Feb.1948,
Eugene Ralph Collins
born,
children: 1. Johnny Ralph Collins
born, 31, Dec. 1948
2. Billy Kirby Collins
born, 5, Feb. 1951
Married: 2nd. 6, Feb. 1955
William McCauley
born,
Children: 1. Elana Jane McCauley
born, 19, Aug.1955,

4. Francis Glade Kelso
born, 2, Mar. 1903, New Market, Ia.
Married: 10, Dec. 1924,
Gladys Darlene Whetstine
born, 19, Nov. 1907, New Market, Ia.
Children: 1. Christopher Franklin Kelso
born, 26, Oct. 1925, New Market, Ia.
Married: 1st. 24,Oct. 1944,
Esther L. Files
born, 20, Dec. 1926,
Children: 1. Frankie Louise Kelso
born, 9, Oct. 1946,
2. Cheryl Anne Kelso
born, 23, July, 1949
Married: 2nd. 2, Oct. 1954
DeLores Carol Olson
born, 26, Apr. 1932,
Children: 1. Tommy Lee Kelso
born, 22, Feb. 1956,
2. Dorothy Mae, Kelso
born, 2, Feb. 1927, New Market, Ia
died, 1, Apr. 1935,
3. Bill Curtis Kelso
born, 31, Aug. 1930, Warsaw, Mo
Married: 24,Dec.1955,
Lillian McGinnis
born, 29, Mar. 1928,
no children:
4. Glade Eldon Kelso
born, 27, Jan. 1933, Warsaw, Mo.
Married: 14, Aug. 1952,
Donna Frances Dudley
born, 4, Jan. 1934,
children: 1. Billie Suzanna Kelso
born, 7,Oct.1953,

5. Ginger Marlene Kelso
born, 16, Apr. 1937, Rock Springs, W
Married: 14, Aug. 1955,
Donald Bagley
born, 13, Sept. 1936,
Children: 1. Penny Dee Ann Begley
born, 9, Sept. 1957
6. Teddy Allen Kelso *******Over
born, 8, May. 1938,
Married; 1, Sept. 1956,
Nancy Carol Cole
born, 20, Jan. 1941.

5. Clarence Jennings Kelso
born, 7, Dec. 1906, Taylor Co. Ia.
married 1st. 18, Dec. 1933, (seperated)
Dona Hall,
born, 10, Aug. 1914,
no children:
Married 2nd. 23, June. 1946,
Leola Dare
born, 2, Mar. 1911,
no children:

6. Beryl Kenneth Kelso
born, 10, Mar. 1912, Bedford, Ia.
Married: 13, Nov. 1929,
Ermol Lorene Smith
born, 28, July, 1912,
Children: 1. Donna Lee Kelso
born, 9, Aug. 1931
2. Beryl Kenneth Kelso Jr. *******Over
born, 10, Dec. 1936,

5. Oliver Kelso
born, 26, Mar. 1873, Bedford, Ia.
died, 20, Feb. 1930, Knoxville, Iowa
Married: 1st. Oct. 1904,
Maude Halloway
born,
died, 15, May. 1908,
Children: 1. Mildred Ellen Kelso
born, 6, Oct. 1905, Ottumwa, Iowa
Married: 6, Oct. 1925,
Frank Edward Fillman
born, 12, July, 1903, Des Moines, Iowa
Children: 1. Oiver Frank Fillman
born, 24, June. 1926, Des Moines,
Married: 7, Nov. 1948,
Marjorie Ellen Sanborn
born. 10, Jan. 1926, Menlo, Ia.
Children: 1. Rex LaVerne Fillman
born, 30, Nov. 1953
Moline, Ill.
2. Sherrill Kay Fillman
born, 24, May. 1955
Moline, Ill.

2. Merwin John Fillman
born, 2,Dec.1929, Des Moines,Ia.
Married: 4,Oct.1952,
Julia Lucille Waite
born, 20, Jan. 1930 Los A. Calif.
No children:
3. Russell Loyd Fillman
born, 15, June. 1934 Des Moines, Ia
4. Charles Edward Fillman
born, 28, Nov. 1939, Des Moines,Ia

2. Infant
born, 15, May. 1908, died same day.

Oliver Kelso
Married: 2nd. 1,Jan.1912
Edith Java Munckton
born, 16, Mar. 1891
Children: 1. Jessie Carolyn Kelso
born, 18, Aug. 1912, Des Moines, Ia.
Married: [illegible],1.Oct. 1932,
Lyle Fitzgerald
born, 15, May. 1909,
children: 1. James L. Fitzgerald
born, 7, May. 1933
2. William Fitzgerald
born, 5,Dec.1939.

2. Wilma Edith Kelso
born, 18, Nov.1914, Des Moines, Ia.
Married, 25,Sept.1937,
William G. Stephens
born, 24, Sept. 1915,
Children: 1. Marilyn Jean Stephens
born, 15, July, 1938,

6. John Foster Kelso
born, 30, June. 1875, Bedford, Iowa
died, 29,Aug.1944,
Married: 1. 9, Oct. 1895,
Cora C. Farlow
born, 18, Oct. 1874, Bedford, Iowa
died, 30, Apr. 1951.
Children: 1. Florence Demaris Kelso
born, 3, June. 1897, Bedford, Ia.
Married, 14, Nov. 1920
Millard H. Field
born, 20, Oct. 1900
died, 17, Feb. 1952.
Children:None.

2. Elfie Amelia Kelso
born, 6, June. 1902, Bedford, Ia.
died, 7, Oct. 1956
Married: 22,July.1925,
John W. Crosby
born, 9, Sept.1902.

Children of John W. and Elfie Crosby
1. Robert Kelso Crosby
born, 19, Mar. 1926,
Married: 1, Sept. 1951,
Emma Marie Kyle
born, 8, Feb. 1928,
Children: 1. Robert Kent Crosby
born, 27, Sept. 1953,
Kansas City, Mo.

7. Elfie L. Kelso
born, 9, July, 1877, died, 30, Dec. 1957
Married: 23, Mar. 1898
George McAlpin
born, 4, Mar. 1871 Taylor Co. Ia.
died, 28, Mar. 1936, Clarinda, Iowa
Children: 1. Virgil Beryl McAlpin
born, 8, Oct. 1901
Married: 22, Feb. 1923
Marie McClelland
born, 10, Aug. 1901
Children: 1. George R. McAlpin
born, 17, Mar. 1924,
Married: 3, July, 1948
Joan Allen
born, 19, Mar. 1927.
Children: 1. Bobby Allen McAlpin
born, 28, June. 1951
2. Richard William McAlpin
born, 12, Nov. 1952
3. Jodene Marie McAlpin
born, 16, Mar. 1956
2. Marianne McAlpin
born, 15, Feb. 1927
Married: 18, Jan. 1948
Bobbie Allen Grimm
born, 8, Sept. 1921
Children: 1. Kathy Marie Grimm
born, 28, Nov. 1953
2. Nancy Ann Grimm
born, 3, Aug. 1957
3. Sandra Ann Grimm
born, 3, Aug. 1957
2. Charles Oliver McAlpin
born, 16, June. 1905
Married: 19, June. 1929
Mariam Horning
born, 4, Apr. 1904
Children: 1. Charles Elburn McAlpin
born, 24, Oct. 1930
Married: 22, Dec. 1953
Mary I. McKenzie
born, 2, Sept. 1931
Children: 1. Charles Alan McAlpin
born, 15, Nov. 1954

2. Beverly Sue McAlpin
born, 21,Mar.1932,
Married: 23,June.1956,
Henry William Anderson Jr.
born, 17,Jan.1928
3. Judith Carolyn McAlpin
born, 11,Nov. 1935
4. Corinne Kay McAlpin
born, 18,Dec.1937
5. Larry Joe McAlpin
born, 24,Dec.1941

8. Bertha Kelso
born, 9,Nov.1878, Bedford, Iowa
died, 19,Aug.1879

9. Bert Kelso
born, 30, Jan. 1880, Bedford, Iowa
died, 16,Feb.1951, Tacoma, Washington
Married: 1st. 19, Nov.1906
Jessie Ashby
born,
died, 4,Apr.1937, Tacoma, Washington
Children: 1. Albert Kenneth Kelso
born, 26,Sept.1907, Silverton, Colo.
Married: 25,Jan.1932
Minnetta Mae O'Donnell
born, 11,Aug.1910, Sutherland, Nebr.
Children: 1. Donald Gene Kelso
born, 21,Dec.1935, Tacoma,Wash.
2. Sherrol Marie Kelso
born, 12,Apr.1937. Tacoma,Wash.
2. Howard Stanley Kelso
born, 20,Feb.1911, Silverton, Colo.
Married: 22,Apr.1939
Dorothy Margaret Mainprice
born, 9,July, 1917, Tacoma, Wash.
no children
3. Gerald M. Kelso
born, 13, Sept. 1913, Chilmark, Alberta, Canada
married: 30,July, 1935,
Christy L. Sater
born, 30, Nov. 1916, Weiser, Idaho
Children: 1. Geraldine Lee Kelso
born, 8,Aug.1936, Tacoma,Wash.
Married: 30,Mar.1957.
David W. Bird
born, 28,Aug.1936
2. Marjorie Ann Kelso
born, 30,Sept.1941, Tacoma,Wash.
3. Jack Merrill Kelso
born, 10,Aug.1943, Tacoma,Wash.
4. Margaret Ellen Kelso
born, 10,Nov.1915, Chilmark, Alberta, Canada

Bert Kelso
married 2nd. 19,June.1940
Bertha Hill
born. 23,Aug.1885

died, 28, Aug. 1924,

5. Maurice Wesley Kelso
born, 7,July, 1919, Chilmark, Alberta, Canada
Married: 29,Aug.1940
Miriam Jane Stephens
born, 15,Oct.1917, Tacoma, Wash.
Children: 1. Melvin Frank Kelso
born, 16,Aug.1942, Tacoma,Wa.

10. Infant,
born, 10, Jan. 1884, and died 10,Jan.1884,
burried at New Market, Iowa.

Thanks to Mrs. Harve H. Thompson, I was able to make a complete genealogy of the Benjamin Hall Kelso family.

LUCY ANGELINE KELSO 9th child of Andrew F. and Susannah E. Kelso.
born, 1843, Ireland, Ind.
died in early childhood,

MARY CAROLINE (MOLLIE) KELSO 10th Child of Andrew F. and Susannah Kelso.
born, 11, July, 1845, Ireland, Ind.
died, 19, Nov. 1924, Ireland, Ind.
Married: 11,July. 1867,
Albert H. Stewart,
born, 22, May. 1838, Ireland, Ind.
died, 29, Mar. 1910, Ireland, Ind.
Son of John Stewart
Children:
1. Aristo K. Stewart
born, 8, July. 1868, Ireland, Ind.
died, 15, Jan. 1955,
Married: 5, June. 1890
Mattie Rose
born,
died, 8, June. 1950, Louisville, Ky.
Children: 1. Hilda Florence Stewart
born, 5, Mar. 1892, Petersburg, Ind.
Married: 21, July. 1915,
Joseph Wier, M.D.
born, 9, May. 1883, Newberry, Ind.
died, 16, Mar. 1936, Evansville, Ind.
Children: 1. James A. Wier,
born, 27, Aug. 1916, Newberry, Ind.
Married: 21, Nov. 1943,
Alice Ray Ward
born, 7, June. 1925, Houston, Texas
Children: (adopted)
1. Thomas Frederick Wier,
born, 15, June. 1943, Ky.
2. Linda Alice Wier,
born, 25, Aug. 1949, Ky.
2. Arista Joe Stewart
born, 13, Apr. 1894, Petersburg, Ind.
Married: 21, June. 1923,
Ruth Spindel
born, 24, Mar. 1903, Louisville, Ky.
Children: 1. Richard J. Stewart,
born, 9, July, 1925, Louisville, Ky.
Married: 15, Dec. 1951
Barbara Beeler
born, 5, May. 1928,
3. Pauline Stewart
born, 17, Aug. 1895, Petersburg, Ind.
died, 8, Dec. 1901
4. Albert R. Stewart
born, 24, May. 1898, Petersburg, Ind.
died, 15, Jan. 1902,

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5. James G. Stewart
born, 12, June. 1901, Newberry, Ind.
Married: 31, Mar. 1933,
Louise Bessire
born, 19, July. 1912, Louisville, Ky.
Children: 1. Bonnie Louise Stewart
born, 27, June. 1935, Louisville, Ky.
2. James G. Stewart Jr.
born, 6, July, 1939, Louisville, Ky.
Bonnie Louise Steward
Married, 15, Sept. 1956, to
Harry Lewis Bounnell

6. Martha Barr Stewart
born, 14, June. 1903, Ireland, Ind.
Married: 21, July. 1923,
Herbert Vaughn Lancaster
born, 20, Mar. 1898, Louisville, Ky.
Children: 1. Betty Stewart Lancaster
born, 7, Feb. 1924, Louisville, Ky.
Married: 12, June. 1954,
Eugene M. Respini
2. Stewart Vaughn Lancaster
born, 30, Apr. 1926, Louisville,Ky.
3. Joyce Lancaster,
born, 24, Nov. 1934, Louisville, Ky.
4. Jerry Lancaster
born, 30, Mar. 1937, Louisville, Ky.

7. Ralph M. Stewart,
born, 13, July. 1907, Jasper, Ind.
Married: 3, Apr. 1928,
Norma Ohm
born, Trinity, Texas
Children: 1. Phyllis Stewart
born, 28, Nov. 1929, Trinity, Texas
Married:
Rene Greene
born,
2. Martha Ann Stewart,
born, 3, Oct. 1940, Trinity, Texas

2. Frederick A. Stewart
born, 20, Dec. 1869, Ireland, Ind.
Married:
Effie (Duck) Anderson
born,
Children: 1. Albert Hammond Stewart
born
2. Fredericka Stewart
born,
Married
Charles McDowell
born,

3. Ralph M. Stewart
born, 23, Nov. 1882, Ireland, Ind.
died, Apr. 1955, Jasper, Ind.
Married: 30, Aug. 1908,

Susan Gray
born, 9, Nov. 1884, Portersville, Ind.
Children:
1. Albert Hammond Stewart
born, 12, Aug. 1911, Ireland, Ind.
Married:
Rowena Akin
born, 18, July. 1911, Lawrenceport, Ind.
No record of children
2. John Gray Stewart
born, 15, Aug. 1917, Ireland, Ind.
3. Clyde Elmer Stewart
born, 7, Aug. 1909,
Married: 24, Dec. 1933
Mary Louise Montgomery
born, 22, June. 1916,
Children: 1. Sue Ann Stewart
born, 2, Nov. 1935, Huntington, Ind.
2. Clyde Montgomery Stewart
born, 19, Feb. 1937, Michell, Ind.
4. Hilda Stewart
born, 18, Aug. 1871, Ireland, Ind.
died, 18, Oct. 1872, Ireland, Ind.

ZENAS CICERO KELSO M.D. 11th Child of Andrew F. and Susannah E. Kelso
born, 1848, Dubois Co. Ind.
died,
Married: 1st.
Elvira Case
born
died,
Children:
1. Emmett Kelso
born 1879, Ind.
Married
Wifes name unknown, but he has two children
1. Billy 2, Geraldine
2. Monta Kelso
born, 1874, Ind.
Dr. Zenas Cicero Kelso married 2nd. 25, Dec. 1883
Clara Thomas
born, 25, July. 1861, Dubois Co. Ind.
died, 25, June. 1936,
daughter of Jesse Thomas and Bathsheba Chappell.
Children:
1. Earl R. Kelso
born,
died, in infancy
2. Bessie Ann Kelso
born
died, in infancy
3. Madeline Kelso
born,
Clara Thomas and Dr. Zenas C. Kelso were seperated and she married W. C. Townsend and after his death S. Wesley Coleman

MELVINA KELSO, 12th child of Andrew F. and Susannah E. Kelso.
born, 14, Aug. 1849, Ireland, Ind.
died, 3, Nov. 1880.
Married: 1868
William S. Bissey son of Elias and Angeline McIntyre Bissey
born, 9, Mar. 1848, Ohio
died
Married 2nd. Mrs. N.E. McCane
Children: of William and Melvina
1. Olive Susanna Bissey
born, 12, Aug. 1869,
died, 19, Sept. 1920,
Married: 9, Sept. 1886
Rauley Newton (Knute) Horton
son of Rauley Thomas Horton and Betsy Dickson
born, 29, May. 1862, Ireland, Ind.
died, 5, Jan. 1949, Washington, Ind.
Children: 1. William T. Horton
born, 4, Dec. 1887, Washington, Ind.
Married: 15, June, 1906,
Mirle G. Reese
born, 20, Sept. 1886, Pike Co. Ind.
Children: 1. Frieda M. Horton
born, 9, May. 1907, Daviess, Ind.
died, 30, May. 1907,
2. Roscoe R. Horton
born, 3, Feb. 1912, Daviess Co. Ind.
Married:
Rosezella Fleenor
born
children: 1. Eugene Horton
3. Rena B. Horton
born, 18, Nov. 1915, Albion, Ind.
Married:
Leo Green
born
Children: 1. Bobby Green
2. Madonna Green
3. Beverly Green
4. Ina B. Horton
born, 15, May. 1922, Washington, Ind.
Died, 14, Jan. 1954,
Married:
Lloyd Peach
born,
2. Alvin Jay Horton
born, 4, Dec. 1891
died, 5, Sept. 1895, Kicked by a horse.
3. Guy Horton
born, 11, Aug. 1898, Washington, Ind.
Married:
Norma Prater, dau. Jerry Prater, Laura E. Potts
born, 26, Nov. 1896.

Children: 1. Delbert O. Horton
born, 11, Nov. 1917, Cannelburg, Ind.
Married:
Zelma M. Combs
born,
Children: 1. Jerry Horton
2. Donnie Horton
3. Billey Horton
4. David Horton
2. Dorothy L. Horton
born, 9, Oct. 1923, Washington, Ind.
Married:
Rev. C.T. Denbo
born,
Children: 1. Lowel E. Denbo
2. Earl Wayne Denbo
3. Danny Ray Denbo
4. Violet F. Horton
born, 13, May. 1904. Daviess Co. Ind.
died, 5, Oct. 1904
5. Hazel Horton
born, 18, July. 1908, Daviess Co. Ind.
2. Charles E. Bissey
born, 21, June. 1872, Lichfield, Ill
died, 11, Nov. 1939,
Married:
Mary Arvada Brown
born, 10, July. 1874, Ireland, Ind.
died, 23, Feb. 1929, Blairsburg, Iowa

The following is the story of Charley and Vade Bissey as written by their daughter Gladys Davis.

Charley and 'Vade' lived on a farm most of their early married life. When the daughter Gladys was born, it was in the hot August the family Dr. had four miles to go to get to the farm where That baby was born, one hour before the Family Doctor arrived. The Old Horse and Buggy could not travel as fast in the 1900 as the cars do now days. When Gladys was eight years of age the family moved to Mountain Grove, Missouri, living there only one year, Charley did not like all those rocks in the fields when he would try to plow his grain. The fruit was plentiful, and there was large orchards on this farm, the different kinds of fruit had to be wrapped and boxed and sold when it was ready for the market. When Charley moved from Mountain Grove, Missouri he descided he like the HOOSIER state, therefore, he moved to a different part of Indiana, this time it was on a farm called Flat Creek, and after living there two years he found out why the place was called such a name. The creek and little river would over flow it's banks until the only way in which we could get to town was in our road wagon, hitch the team to a fence post and then take a boat across the fields, and have a neighbor meet us on the other side, and loan us a buggy and horse to drive to the nearest town, which in those days seemed so very far away, even tho it was just 4 miles away. They put me in a Little Red School House where I took my second years schooling, and the school was two and one half miles away. My sister Mae, used to have to truge along slowly so my short legs could keep even with her, as we always walked to school in those days.

When Charley no longer wanted to live on the Flat Creek farm, he moved to a little town called Ireland, Indiana. There, he bought a general store, where all kinds of merchandise was sold, (even home made butter). My Mother and Dad had to bring one cowm to town, and one horse, we used to drive our buggy with the Fringe on the top. When my brother Raymond began to look at the pretty girls more than he liked to look at his books, his Father desided to sell his store, and buy a Flour Mill in Oblong, Illinois. Thinging that perhaps the son Raymond would become his Miller, as soon as he grew a little older. But Raymond did not like any part of the said Flour Mill. To make a long story short. Charley did some correspondance to his wife's brother, Frank Brown, who was farming in Iowa, and would tell how wonderful farming was in Iowa. Charley and family came to Iowa to visit, and the land was doing everything The Brother Frank Brown had claimed. Charley stayed in Iowa, and looked for a house to live in, while the rest of the family drove back to Illinois, sold the Mill, Charted a car, and moved back to Iowa in September 1919. Mr Charley, this time, made a good move, because his family are all still living in Iowa. Raymond has a farm north of Iowa Falls on Highway 65-20 just ½ mile. He also owns (and built) a wonderful Diamond Rollarena skating rink, which Raymond and wife, Irene run as their hobby, along with his farm. They have three daughters, all of which are married, and live in Iowa Raymond had 8 grand children. So much for my only brother.

When My Father came to Iowa we lived in a town called Jewell Junction, and all the trains stopped in this town. During the first winter I met my Husband, Floyd George Davis. He however, had to come a-courting- me on the farm north of Jewell 10 miles, in the spring we moved. He came to see me in a racer body car, that could be heard, for miles around, because it rattled so. The fenders were so loose and etc. My Dad would sit in the swing in the summer time, and would call up the stairs to me that the "Date" was arriving, he could hear him coming through the hollow. Those were the good days never-the- less.

My sister, Anna Mae Brown, who married Raleigh O. Brown, had four boys born to them. All of which are living. The oldest boy, Melvin Brown now lives in Waterloo, Iowa, he has one child, Barbara Brown, she is a registered nurse. Then Oscar Brown now lives in California, he has three children, one married with two children, Then, Raymond Brown now living in Iowa Falls, Iowa. He has two boys. The youngest boy of the Raleigh Brown family is Robert (Bob) he now lives in Texas, and has two little boys under school age.
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Gladys and Floyd Davis have two sons. Frederick Floyd Davis who is a Chiropractor Doctor. has his home and office in Farmington, Michigan. at 32721 Grand River Ave. His wife Wanita, was the daughter of Audley and Alta Maple of Sharpsville, Indiana. Dr. Frederick and wanita have two children, a girld Jerra Lynn, aged 5 years, the boy Frederick Brice, age 3 years. The children were both born in Detroit Michigan.

Dr. Frederick went to Ames college, soon after he graduated from high school. In that following spring he went to California to work in a aircraft factory, until he became old enough that Uncle Sam ask to have him enlist in the army. He was in about 4 years. When he came home he had made up his mind to go to Lincoln Chiropractic college in Indianapolis, Ind. There he met his wife Wanita and were married December 2. 1949, Gladys and Floyd Davis have another son, Kenneth, who is married.

As soon as son Kenneth graduated from highschool, he started working for a fellow in Jewell who owned a large hardware store. Kenneth was ask to buy part interest, which he did. But as soon as he was old enough to join the services for Uncle Sam he also had to go. He was over seas 18 months, when he came back home he had decided to become a Minister. He started going to Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa. After graduating from Drake he went to Yale University, in New Haven Conn. He will graduate in 1957. He has been practicing preaching for over a year. Kenneth and Doris are expecting their first child in Nov. 1957. Doris was born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Her father was Earl LeGrant, her mother Elsie. Her parents both live in Des Moines, Iowa. Kenneth and Doris Davis live at, 70 Central Ave., unit no. 120 New Haven, Conn.

My husband Floyd George Davis was in World War One,, I met him shortly after the war. After my oldest son, Frederick, was inducted into the service, I got all 'Nerves', and decided to keep myself very busy. I took a job at the Des Moines Ordnance Plant, where the government made all kinds of gun shells, to be used over seas. I had to drive 56 miles to this job, and gas was being rashioned at that time. I had some real different experiences while working in such a place with thousands of other people. I took a load of other people who also wished to work. I worked at this place from September 1942 till they closed. Kenneth was in his Junior and Senior year at school and was carrying five subjects just to get more credits. He had it sort of tough as Mother was not home very long, and when she was, she was washing clothes, mending, and trying to get so many hours of much needed sleep. After the war, one of our merchants in Jewell, Iowa wanted me to clerk at his store. I took the job. This lasted much longer than I had expected. Then there was need of a night Telephone Operator, I was ask if I would be interested. I applied and have been working for the "Bell Telephone Company" for over 10 years. I am 56 years old and in excellent health. I have always been very active in Church work, American Legion Auxiliary, Eastern Star, and various thing that branch off these orginiations. My husband has had a busy life also. When he was only 4 years of age his father died, leaving his Mother and baby sister to figure the way out to make a living. Therefore, at an early age my husband went to work in the fields, he was just 12. He stayed at a cousins home, and worked and went to school. When he was 17 years he started working for the Chicago Northwestern Railroad. He worked with that job until in the year of 1932, when he started working for the Standard Oil Company. He hrtired at the age of 60, now he works as he pleases at odd jobs that is not too hard, but at the same time keeps him from growing old. He now is enjoying the work at the buildings which he keeps clean, at the Ames Iowa State College. He also is blessed with good health.

Children of Charles and Mary Arvada Brown, Bissey

1. Anna Mae Bissey
   born, 15, Oct. 1893, Ireland, Ind.
   Married: 23, Aug. 1911,
   Raleigh C. Brown,
   born, 26, Sept. 1889, Plainville, Ind.
   died, 6, Nov. 1955.
   Children: 1. Melvin Elias Brown
   born, 14, June. 1913, Ireland, Ind.
   married: 13, July. 1936.
   Vivian Simpson
   born, 28, Sept. 1918, Waterloo, Iowa
   Children; 1. Barbara Jean Brown
   born, 2, Mar. 1937, Waterloo, Ia.
   2. Oscar Glenn Brown
   born, 1, July. 1916, Oblong, Ill.
   Married: 29, Nov. 1934.
   Fern Edna Bryan
   born, 21, May. 1918, Williams, Iowa.
   Children: 1. Shirley Edna Brown
   born, 7, Dec. 1935, Williams, Ia.
   Married: 1952
   John Edward Smith
   born, 8, Aug. 1934. Holtville, Calif
   Children: 1. Kathy Jo, Smith
   born, 3, Oct. 1953,
   Fontana, Calif.
   2. Debra Jean Smith
   born, 22, Sept. 1955
   Fontana, Calif.
   2. William Glen Brown
   born, 5, May. 1943, Waterloo, Ia.
   3. Betty Marie Brown
   born, 22, Aug. 1945, Santa Monica, Calif.
   3. Raymond Charles Brown
   born, 21, July. 1923, Blarsburg, Iowa.
   Married: 13, Nov. 1942
   Connie Bertena Smith
   born, 28, Apr. 1923, Iowa City, Iowa
   Children: 1. Larry Dean Brown
   born, 27, Nov. 1943, Iowa Falls, Ia
   2. Donnie Ray Brown;
   born, Hampton, Iowa
   4. Robert LaVern Brown
   born, 12, Feb. 1929, Blarsburg, Iowa
   Married: 28, May. 1949
   Martha Mary Obadoll
   born, 1, Nov. 1930, Pocahontas, Iowa
   Children: 1. Daniel Lyle, Brown
   born, 5, June. 1951, Hampton, Iowa
   2. Steven Vern Brown
   born, 16, Dec. 1952. " "

2. William Martin Bissey 2nd child of Charles and Vada Bissey
born, 28, Aug. 1895, Plainsville, Ind.
died, 8, July, 1897,
3. Lula Olive Bissey,
born,12,Oct.1897, Plainsville, Ind.
died, 14,Jan. 1906,
4. Gladys Blanche Bissey
born, 26,Aug.1900, Plainsville, Ind.
Married: 8,Aug.1922
Floyd George Davis
born, 6,June.1892,
Children: 1. Frederick Floyd Davis
born, 19,Feb.1924, Jewell,Iowa
Married: 2,Dec.1949,
Wanita Naple
born, Sharpsville,Ind.
Children: 1. Jerra Lynn Davis
born, 9,Sept.1950, Detroit,Mich
2. Frederick Bruce Davis
born, 24,Apr.1953, Detroit,Mich.
2. Kenneth Eugene Davis
born, 5,Apr.1928, Jewell,Iowa
Married: 3,June.1955
Children: 1.
Born, Nov. 1957.
5. Raymond Ralph Bissey
born, 31,July.1903, Plainsville, Ind.
Married:
Irene Elizabeth Markley
born, 17,Oct.1902, Springfield,Ill.
Children: 1. Mary Lue Bissey
born, 29,May.1929, Webster City, Iowa
Married:
Gerald Clarence Mardick
born, 3,June.1926, Westphalia, Kans.
Children: 1. Dennis Ray Mardick
born, 24,July.1926,
2. Denise Kaye Mardick
born, 3,Sept. 1956, Fort Dodge, Ia
2. Eileen Ruth Bissey
born, 8,Jan.1931, Franklin Co. Iowa
Married:
Larry Dean Hamilton
born, 10, Apr. 1929, Iowa Falls, Iowa
Children: 1. Leland Earl Hamilton
born, 15,Oct.1950, Hampton,Ia.
2. Micheal Dean Hamilton
born, 24,Dec.1951, Hampton, Iowa
3. Bruce Barton Hamilton
born, 13,Dec.1953, Hampton,Iowa
4. Linda Marie Hamilton
born, 16,Aug.1955, " "

3. Beverly Belle Bissey
born, 22,Dec.1931, Franklin Co. Iowa.
Married:
Harold Lochmann
born, 31,Oct.1926, Burdette, Iowa
Children: 1. Anita Ann Lochmann
born, 24,Feb. 1952, Hampton,Ia.
2. Janet Louise Lochmann
born, 4, May. 1955, Alden, Iowa

3. Harry Kelso Bissey, 3rd child of William and Melvina Bissey
born, 6,June.1880, Dubois Co. Ind.
Married: 30, Dec. 1900.
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born,
Children: 1. Ruby L. Bissey
born, 4, July. 1901, Plainville, Ind.
Married:
Horace Waddy
born,
No record of children
2. Harry Carl Bissey
born, 10,June.1903, Elnora, Ind.
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Mary Momen Fleming
born, 17, Apr. 1908, Bartholomew Co. Ind.
Children: 1. William Karl Bissey
born, 18,Aug.1940, Columbus, Ind.
3. Daisy I. Bissey
born, 17,Feb.1905, Plainville, Ind.
4. Lorena Blanch Bissey
born, 4,May.1910, Plainville,Ind.
Married: 20,July, 1938
Gilbert Orban
born, 18,May.1912, Hungry
Children: 1. Gilbert Kelso Orban
born, 29,May.1942, Indianapolis,In
2. Richard B. Orban
born, 6,Apr.1944, Beech Grove,Ind.

SANFORD L. KELSO 13th child of Andrew F. and Susannah Kelso
born, 10, Aug. 1851, Ireland, Ind.
died, 18, May. 1854, age 3 yr. 10 m. 8 days.

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